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## GOOD MORNING

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Today: Showers likely today, breezy, high 68. Mostly cloudy tonight, low 42.

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**Hog proposal:** A proposal for a major Cassia County hog farm has been filed, and now faces a lengthy review.

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## MONEY

**In the spot:** Right: A Twin Falls woman was in Washington, D.C., Tuesday to describe the economic benefits of trade with China.

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**Southwestern cuisine:** This Magic Valley cook prepares dishes with a Southwestern flair.

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# Times-News

## Waste may not need to burn

### Officials seek permit to dispose of radioactive, PCB-laced material

By N.E. Hoddenton  
*Times-News writer*

TWIN FALLS - Federal officials in Idaho might not need to incinerate radioactive waste that

also contains PCBs.

They might only need a permit from the Environmental Protection Agency to dispose of the waste untested at a disposal site in New Mexico.

Officials at the Idaho National

Engineering and Environmental Laboratory had planned to build an incinerator as part of a treatment facility for plutonium-contaminated waste now stored at the INEEL.

But those plans were halted by a lawsuit brought by environmentalists.

"Burning is not part of the picture anymore," said Dennis Hurtt, an Energy Department spokesman at the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant in New Mexico, the disposal site of plutonium-contaminated waste now stored in Idaho.

Officials from the Energy Department and the EPA met in Dallas last week to discuss the possibility of getting a permit to

dispose of untreated PCB-laced radioactive waste at WIPP.

"It is feasible that they could receive a permit under the Toxic Substance Control Act (of 1976) to dispose of this waste," said Dave Bary, spokesman for EPA in Dallas.

The department would have to apply for a permit, and approval

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### CAREER PATH



**Math fun:** Students run down the length of a seesaw trailer during the *Count on Wheels* fair at Lincoln Elementary School Tuesday. Students got a chance to climb on wheeled vehicles ranging from tractors to a U.S. Army crane truck. Officials said one of the goals of the fair was to stress the importance of mathematics in most professions.

### Lawmaker stresses educating Idaho about exports

By Rachel Denry  
*Times-News correspondent*

TWIN FALLS - Exporting isn't something many Idahoans understand - or think about on a daily basis.

But without national and international trade, the state would not thrive as much as it does

today, Idaho House Agricultural Affairs Committee Chairman Doug Jones told manufacturers, shippers and Idaho government officials Tuesday evening at the Idaho Export Council's World Trade Day.

Every year the export council awards four scholarships to students attending Idaho colleges who are majoring in international

business. The council generally awards \$3,000 to \$4,000 in scholarships each year, Idaho Export Council Vice Chairman Dean Olsen said.

The export council, a statewide nonprofit organization working to expand exports, said the certification and community fund international trade seminars and college scholarships. Council mem-

bers represent business, government, academic and service sectors.

Since exporting is so vital to the growth of Idaho, young people and special interest groups need to be educated about exporting, Jones said.

"I don't need to tell you statis-

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### Fed chooses half-point increase

#### Greenspan might not be finished yet

The Associated Press

**WASHINGTON** - The Federal Reserve bumped up interest rates Tuesday by a bold half point, pushing a key rate to its highest level in nine years. Fed policymakers signaled they were prepared to move even more aggressively if needed to fight inflation.

The central bank raised its target for the federal funds rate, the interest that banks charge each other, to 6.5 percent. It was the sixth time the Fed has increased the funds rate since last June but

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the first half-point move. All the other rate changes were smaller quarterly increases.

The Fed's action at mid-afternoon was immediately matched by announcements from commercial banks that they were increasing their prime lending rate - the benchmark for millions of consumer and business loans - by the same half point.

Those increases left the prime at 9.5 percent, its highest level since January 1991 when the interest that banks charge each other, to 6.5 percent. It was the sixth time the Fed has increased the funds rate since last June but

banks, by a half point to 6 percent. Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan and his colleagues were concerned that continued brisk demand generated by the booming economy would outstrip the country's available supply of goods and workers.

If this were to persist, the Fed warned, it "could foster inflationary imbalances that would undermine the economy's outstanding performance."

Wall Street, which had suffered some sharp declines in recent weeks because of fears of greater Fed tightening, took Tuesday's announcement in stride. The Dow Jones Industrial average ended the day up 127 points at 10,935.

#### Interest rate hike

The Federal Reserve raised its federal funds rate by one-half percentage point Tuesday following five earlier increases of one-quarter point.

Prime 9.5%

Federal funds rate 6.5%

Discount rate 6%

1984 1985 1986 1987 1988 1989 1990 1991

\*Commercial banks are expected to boost their prime rate by the end of the day or on Wednesday.

Sources: Compiled from AP wire reports

AP

### Mount St. Helens returns to life

20 years after eruption, nature renews itself

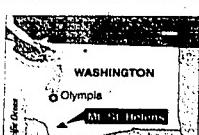
Nowaday

**TOUTLE, Wash.** - Peter Frenzen recalls the first time he walked through the landscape of mud and rock created after the north face of Mount St. Helens collapsed catastrophically during the volcano's May 18, 1980, eruption.

Frenzen, a U.S. Forest Service ecologist, and his colleagues had hiked a mile across the avalanche of debris and back, carefully searching for signs of vegetation. "We did not find a single

plant," Frenzen said. During a stop for lunch, a colleague pointed excitedly to a small hint of green in the monochromatic gray, only to find an alfalfa sprout that had fallen from a team member's sandwich.

In those early months after the eruption, Frenzen said, researchers were happy to find even a spider's web as a sign of returning life on the debris field. Now, 20 years after Mount St. Helens, in southwest Washington state, erupted with a destructive fury that killed 57 people, turned



230 square miles of forest into a "blast zone" of downed timber, and spewed "ash clouds that spread worldwide, the scarred terrain near the volcano is alive again."

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Green foliage above hoof at the base of Mount St. Helens.

## THE REGION

### Camas Prairie

High: 69 Low: 36  
Mostly cloudy, showers likely, breezy.  
Partly cloudy tonight.  
Partly cloudy Thursday, high 64.

### Treasure Valley

High: 72 Low: 43  
Partly cloudy today and tonight, breezy. Partly cloudy Thursday, high 74.

### Sawtooth Mountains/Wood River Valley

High: 60 Low: 41  
Cloudy with a chance of showers. Partly cloudy on Thursday with highs in the 60s.

### Eastern Idaho

High: 62 Low: 41  
Rain showers likely with southwest winds 10-20 mph. Partly cloudy on Thursday with highs near 70.

### Northern Idaho

High: 74 Low: 44  
Mostly sunny early then partly cloudy, breezy. Partly cloudy Thursday, high 71.

### Northern Utah

High: 63 Low: 42  
Showers likely today, light winds. Chance of showers tonight. Partly cloudy Thursday, high 70.

### Northern Nevada

High: 68 Low: 40  
Partly cloudy today and tonight, breezy. Partly cloudy Thursday, high 74.

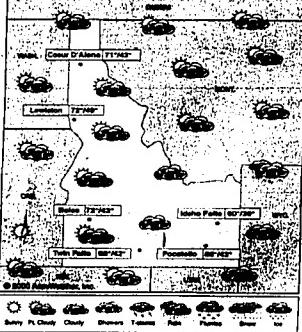
## MAGIC VALLEY FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
High: 68 Low: 42 Showers likely, breezy, mostly cloudy tonight.	High: 71 Low: 44 Partly cloudy, light winds.	High: 70s Low: 40s Partly cloudy and warming.	High: 70s Low: 40s Partly cloudy and warming.	High: 70s Low: 40s Partly cloudy and warming.

### Idaho weather

Wednesday, May 17

AccuWeather forecast for daytime conditions, high-low temperatures



### UV INDEX

Index: 6  
Exposure: 10  
UV time: 30 minutes

### SKYWATCH

Sunset today: 8:55 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow: 6:13 a.m.

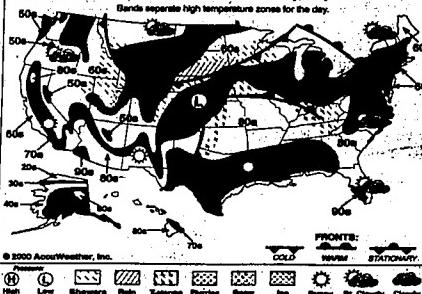
Lunar phase: Full, May 18; last quarter, May 26; new, June 2; first quarter, June 8.

### ROAD INFORMATION

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### National weather

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Wednesday, May 17.



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### ACROSS THE NATION

Nation: High pressure over the Mid-Atlantic states brought fair and dry conditions to the East Coast Tuesday, while thunderstorms rumbled across the Great Lakes. The Southwest was hot and dry.

Thunderstorms, some with hail and heavy downpours, also moved across Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas on Tuesday.

Fair to partly cloudy skies were seen over the northern Plains and northern Mississippi Valley. Clouds were also widespread across

the central and southern Plains in association with a developing storm system over eastern Colorado.

Low pressure spinning over Nevada brought unsettled weather to parts of the West. Showers, as well as mountain snow were found over California, southern Idaho and Nevada.

Hot and dry conditions were seen over the Southwest and southern Rockies.

— The Associated Press

## Exports

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tions on how important exporting is to the state of Idaho," said Jones, R-Filer. "We need to do exporting both within the United States and internationally. You folks do this day in and day out, you know the numbers. The one thing I would like to say is how important education is."

"People frequently don't realize how international we are today. You need to work with school kids and educate them about business in general, but especially world business," Jones said.

Many people at the dinner agreed.

"I think everybody is so busy that they take it for granted," Jacklin Seed representative Marilyn Deutsch said. "They don't stop to think that products have to get here some way. Certainly a state the size of Idaho needs to have a market outside the state. In order to stay in business, the farmers need that outlet."

Even people in the business of exporting are learning more about

international trade every day, Twin Falls Area Chamber of Commerce executive vice president Kent Just said.

"Exporting is very important," he said. "We are just learning more every day how to become world market traders. I think (our members) are becoming aware all the time of the importance because there is better media coverage. Now we're exporting everything from agricultural products to building materials to log homes."

Special interest groups, and some elected officials, also must be caught about exporting, Jones said.

"In all honesty, most of the Legislature does not know much about international trade," he said.

It's important that lawmakers understand how exporting works and its importance, so the government can work with manufacturers.

"Sometimes the presence of a government official makes the deal go through," Jones said.

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Daniel Walcock, circulation director

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## YESTERDAY'S WEATHER

### Twin Falls

Yesterday in Twin Falls:  
Low: 47  
Avg: 54  
Normal: 53  
Wind: 13 mph  
Humidity: 54%  
Water year to date: 54.94  
Year to date: 53.93

### High/Low

Idaho: High: 68, Low: 36  
Twin Falls: High: 68, Low: 33 degrees at 10 a.m.  
Malad: High: 68, Low: 33 degrees at 10 a.m.  
Ketchum: High: 70, Low: 47 degrees at 10 a.m.  
Twin Falls: High: 70, Low: 45 degrees at 10 a.m.  
Saratoga Lake, N.Y.: High: 68, Low: 45 degrees at 10 a.m.  
Mammoth Lakes, Calif.: High: 68, Low: 45 degrees at 10 a.m.

### Comfort factors

Hoover: High: 61, Low: 41 degrees at 10 a.m.  
Nanaimo: 29.23  
Golden sand mold counts: 20.49  
Pecos: 24.24  
Pine, grass, chaparral, ash, others: 20.10  
Molt: 1,910, moisture: 10.10  
Pecos: 1,910, moisture: 10.10  
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### The Nation

City	Max	Min	Pop
Albuquerque	56	43	390,000
Archibald	51	38	1,000
Atlanta	79	58	4,400,000
Boston	67	47	570,000
Chicago	82	63	2,700,000
Dallas	88	54	3,400,000
Denver	58	47	2,600,000
Des Moines	60	44	1,400,000
Edmonton	51	32	600,000
Honolulu	89	70	350,000
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Indians	77	51	1,000,000
Las Vegas	70	57	1,400,000
Los Angeles	70	55	3,600,000
Memphis	75	51	1,000,000
Miami	75	51	1,000,000
Miami Beach	89	73	100,000
Milwaukee	60	52	1,000,000
Newark, N.J.	62	42	200,000
New Orleans	68	53	1,000,000
Oklahoma City	82	67	1,000,000
Orlando	63	43	1,000,000
Phoenix	63	43	1,000,000
Pittsburgh	68	57	1,000,000
Portland, Ore.	68	56	1,000,000
Reno	60	48	100,000
Seattle	61	41	1,000,000
Spokane	62	45	200,000
Washington	72	50	1,000,000
Yuma	94	65	100,000

### Canadian Cities

Calgary: 65 41

Montreal: 64 44

Toronto: 60 42

Vancouver: 67 48

That street would run parallel to the back of the supercenter from Cheney Drive to the south to Pole Line Road to the north.

Wal-Mart's plans still face many obstacles — including the city's planned unit development process and the state's environmental impact statement.

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Richardson residents also had traffic, noise and safety concerns.

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While that's true, treatment might not be necessary with a PCB disposal.

Energy Department officials at WIPP have not applied for such a permit because they didn't know until recently that it would be necessary, Hurt said. It's a matter of timing, he said.

But when the contract for the treatment plant was signed in 1996, officials at WIPP said treatment was not necessary to dispose of the waste from the INEEL if the proper permits were in place.

In December 1996, the Energy Department signed a contract worth up to \$1 billion to build a so-called mixed-waste treatment plant at the INEEL.

The British government-owned BNFL Inc. would build and operate the plant designed to treat up to 185,000 cubic meters of plutonium-contaminated waste, which also includes hazardous chemicals and toxic substances.

The Advanced Mixed-Waste Treatment Project is part of the state's 1995 settlement agreement with the federal government. That agreement also calls for the removal of 2.3 million cubic feet — more than \$85,000 dump truck loads + stored plutonium-contaminated waste from the INEEL.

Only a little more than 2 percent of that waste — or roughly 52,500 cubic feet — contains PCBs.

Plans for the plant that included an incinerator raised concerns among some critics, who questioned the effectiveness of filter systems designed to keep most radioactive and chemical particles from going up the smokestack. Others questioned the wisdom of burning radioactive waste.

Environmentalists in western Wyoming and Idaho last year filed a federal lawsuit challenging the plans that included an incinerator.

Energy Department officials earlier this year agreed to settle the lawsuit by setting aside a decision on the incinerator to avoid delaying the construction of the rest of the treatment plant, which may be completed by April or March 2003 under an agreement with Idaho.

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## NATION

# Gore fights uphill battle in Florida

**BOYNTON BEACH, Fla. (AP)** - The presidential campaign in Florida should be about Social Security, Medicare and prescription drugs, not a little Cuban boy, says 76-year-old Anita Finkelson.

Al Gore, fighting uphill in this critical state, couldn't agree more. And he's trying to change the subject back in that direction.

"The way Democrats are talking about these issues is better for us," Finkelson said, as she and her husband Seymour left a shopping center in this affluent south Florida community in Palm Beach County.

And when the vice president addressed an AFP convention in Orlando today, he will undoubtedly talk about such issues as protecting Social Security and helping the elderly get health care.

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Republican presidential candidate Texas Gov. George W. Bush answers a reporter's question on Social Security during a news conference Tuesday in Portland, Ore.

What Gore said in the case of Eli Gonzalez that the issue should be decided in a family court or a congressional committee of the Cuban-American community in Miami. But it struck many voters elsewhere as

political pandering. And the Cuban Americans ended up outraged at the Clinton administration's Miami raid anyway.

"If you asked me a few months ago, I would have said Florida was really in play, but the Elian

issue really hurt Gore, not really among Cuban Americans, but among white, independent and moderate voters," said independent pollster Jim Kane.

Democrats outnumber Republicans in the state, but Bush was at 47 percent and Gore at 40 in a recent Florida poll.

President Clinton won Florida in 1996 by splitting the vote in many counties throughout the state and overwhelming Republicans in the three big counties south Florida - Palm Beach, Broward and Dade, now called Miami-Dade.

State Democratic chairman Bob Poe visited south Florida recently to assess the fallout from the Gonzalez case and he says Florida is still competitive for the November election. But even if the Elian fallout blows over, Gore has a battle for Florida's 25 electoral votes, the fourth in the nation.

"Gore lacks charisma, lacks vision, lacks the excitement" that enabled Clinton to draw support of other voters than Democrats, said Republican Rep. Mark Foley of Palm Beach County.

## Five rescued from North Pole crash

**ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP)** - Five adventurers - including the aviation legend Dick Rutan - were rescued from the North Pole after their biplane broke through the ice and sank more than 13,000 feet to the bottom of the Arctic Ocean.

An airplane dispatched from Canada picked up the men Monday night after they had spent 12 hours at the top of the world.

They were not injured.

Rutan, who is from Mojave, Calif., was traveling with Ron Sheardown, John Fletcher and Jim Bowden, all of Anchorage, and Jan Haugstad of Norway. They were aboard Sheardown's single-engine, Polish-made biplane, which was traveling with a smaller Cessna with two people aboard.

Pilot Lee Wareham landed his small plane and took off again

Monday before the ice began breaking up. The larger biplane couldn't get turned around in time for takeoff before it began sinking.

Everyone aboard the 4-year-old biplane got off safely and had enough gear to camp out on the ice.

"They were very well-prepared," Wilson said. "They were the perfect people for that to happen to."

## Postal Service might be more commercialized

**WASHINGTON** - The future of the Postal Service in the Internet era is littered with uncertainties that will eventually make the agency more like a private company, Postmaster General William J. Henderson said Tuesday.

"I think the Postal Service ultimately will be commercialized," Henderson told editors and reporters of The Associated Press.

"He said there was no pressure on the agency to change now because 'there is no crisis,'" he said. "What has led to privatizations around the world, or commercialization ... has been some-

"The Postal Service is a semi-independent part of the government overseen by a nine-member board of governors. It is not subsidized by tax money but is regulated and must provide universal service to every home at a flat rate. Postal officials have long sought more freedom to introduce new services and products and to have flexible rates like private businesses.

**Early withdrawal would jeopardize NATO alliance**

**WASHINGTON** - If the Senate succeeds in imposing a deadline for the withdrawal of American peacekeeping troops from Kosovo, the NATO allies probably would follow suit and the viability of the Atlantic alliance would be called into question, Defense

### Nation in brief

**Secretary William Cohen said**

"If the United States were to mandate an artificial deadline for our departure, then I suspect that other members of NATO will do the same and that you will see the return to the kind of conflict we witnessed last year," Cohen said, referring to NATO's 78-day bombing campaign over Kosovo. "I think it will call into question NATO's viability under these circumstances."

Cohen made the remarks in response to questions at a news conference on military child care reforms.

**Drought expected to linger in Midwest, South despite rains**

**WASHINGTON** - A drought that grips much of the Gulf Coast and Midwest won't go away this summer, even though more rain is likely because an expected heat wave will evaporate much of the moisture before it can help crops and replenish water supplies, the government said Tuesday.

In its summer drought forecast,

the National Weather Service said severe to extreme dry conditions will continue in Florida, Georgia, western South Carolina, western Texas, northern Arkansas and southern parts of Louisiana, Mississippi and

Alabama. Severe drought conditions are expected to linger in eastern Nebraska, northern Indiana and most of Missouri, Iowa and Illinois, a region that is the heart of the nation's corn and soybean production.

Although the drought will hurt many farmers, it is not affecting enough of the country to have much impact on food prices, said Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman. "It is not a drought of national scope," he said.

**Dean of White House press corps quits UPI after sale**

**WASHINGTON** - Veteran White House correspondent Helen Thomas resigned Tuesday from United Press International, ending a UPI tenure that spanned six decades - longer than the lives of President Clinton and most of her press corps colleagues.

The 79-year-old Thomas announced her resignation a day after UPI was sold to News World Communications Inc., the parent firm of The Washington Times. News World Communications was founded by the Rev. Sun Myung Moon, leader of the Unification Church.

- compiled from wire reports

How do I know I can trust my builder? Is quality a thing of the past?

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## NATION



Firefighter Chris Jefferson-Medicinehorse, of Crow Agency, Mont., uses his helmet to scoop water from the Santa Clara Creek while on the line of the Ceno Grande fire Tuesday near Los Alamos, N.M.

## Residents try to make order out of destruction

**LOS ALAMOS, N.M.** — The thousands of people streaming back into fire-devastated Los Alamos on Tuesday found smoke still lingering in the air and most stores closed or without such staples as meat and vegetables.

It was a city entirely different from the one they had left just six days before, when they fled ahead of a wall of flames that raced down the side of a canyon and left 40 families homeless.

The Los Alamos nuclear weapons laboratory remained closed, and much of town remained without gas or electricity.

"Our neighborhood burned down. What happens now? Are people going to leave? Are they going to stick around and rebuild?" wondered Jerry Miller, who with his brother Gary operates Ed's Food Market, a small grocery store on the edge of one of the city's hardest-hit sections. People fled in Tuesday to stock up on things like eggs, milk and bread. Twenty percent of Los Alamos, where the homes burned, was still off-limits Tuesday, and the devastation there appeared overwhelming. Entire neighborhoods were burned by a fire that left the few remaining standing looking like blackened toothpicks. Smoke from the fire, now burning a safe distance away, still filled the canyons.

The 46,000-acre fire, 35 percent contained, was moving northeast, away from Los Alamos and toward unburned forest land Tuesday, said David

Seesholtz, a fire information spokesman.

It started outside of town on National Park Service land on May 4, at Bandelier Monument, when a controlled burn meant to clear away dry brush and prevent future wildfires was pushed out of control by high winds.

At the peak of the danger, all 11,000 residents of Los Alamos and 14,000 people from surrounding communities were ordered out of their homes.

### Study: Eating fish may lower depression risk

**CHICAGO** — Eat fish, be happy?

A large study in Finland found

**EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK, Fla.** — Gov. Jeb Bush on Tuesday signed a law setting aside \$2 billion to help restore the Everglades, and called on Congress to match that commitment.

"It is time we, as a state and a nation, protect the beauty, the natural resource system and the endangered species that make the Everglades a truly unique and precious landscape," Bush said.

The bill earmarks \$200 million a year over the next 10 years to restore a more natural flow of water through the Everglades and lower the amount of fertilizer-laden water flowing into Lake Okeechobee and eventually into Florida Bay, at the southern tip of the Florida peninsula.

Nutrients such as nitrogen and phosphorus from sugar cane fields, citrus groves and cattle ranches have contributed to runaway algae growth and destroyed fish and plant life in the lake and bay.

### Minister's son sentenced to death in torture killing

**SHALIMAR, Fla.** — A minister's teen-age son was sentenced to death for the torture killing of an Air Force veteran.

Judge Thomas Remington accepted a jury's recommendation Monday that Ronald Lee Bell Jr., 19, be sentenced for what Remington called an "unbelievable horror." Bell and two teenage girls killed Cordell Richards, 31, over a two-day period in 1999 after kidnapping him from his Fort Walton Beach home.

The high school students chained Richards to a tree in a secluded area, beat him with a baseball bat and set him on fire while he was still alive. They returned the next day to finish him off with a knife.

Prosecutors said he was killed in revenge for sexual advances the teenagers claimed Richards had made toward one of the girls.

evidence that people who ate fish less than once a week run a 31 percent higher chance of mild to severe depression than people who ate it more often.

That's probably because fish contains omega-3 polyunsaturated fatty acids, or PUFA, said psychiatrist Dr. Antti Tanskanen of the University of Kuopio in Finland. But it's too early to recommend that people eat fish or take PUFAs to avoid depression, he said. Tanskanen presented his study Tuesday at the annual meeting of the American Psychiatric Association. It was paid for by his university, he said.

### Report: Light use of Ecstasy might dull intelligence

**LONDON** — Even light weekend use of the party drug Ecstasy might dull intelligence, a new study suggests.

German scientists report that weeks after partying, those who used Ecstasy along with marijuana performed worse on intelligence tests than people who just smoked pot or took no drugs at all. Their results are reported this week in the Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery and Psychiatry.

Ecstasy, a hybrid of the hallucinogen mescaline and the stimulant amphetamine chemically known as MDMA, has been popular among young clubgoers in Europe for years and recently has become increasingly widespread in the United States.

### 'The X-Files' to return, but Duchovny still a question

**LOS ANGELES** — Fox TV has solved the mystery of whether "The X-Files" will return for one more season, reaching a last-minute deal with series creator Chris Carter.

But there was still suspense Tuesday over whether David Duchovny will star for an eighth year. FBI agent Fox Mulder, Fox Broadcasting Co. wants to present its fall schedule of advertisers in New York today. "My contract connects me to the show for another season," Carter said.

"We agreed to do either way," with or without Duchovny, co-star Gillian Anderson, who co-stars in the offbeat drama about FBI agents on the trail of supernatural forces and alien invaders, already was signed for another year.

### EPA to require large trucks to cut pollution by percent

**WASHINGTON** — The Environmental Protection Agency will require large trucks and tractor-trailer rigs to cut pollution by more than 90 percent as well as require cleaner diesel fuel under new regulations to be proposed this week, government and private sources said Tuesday.

The proposal, which has been debated in the White House for months, also will require that refiners produce low-sulfur diesel so the fuel does not interfere with

pollution control devices needed to comply with the sulfur emission standards, according to the sources.

The requirements represent the most stringent environmental controls ever imposed on large tractor-trailer rigs and heavy-duty trucks that critics say are major contributors to soot and smog-causing chemicals in the air.

The Clinton administration is expected to announce the proposed regulations on Wednesday, which will be made final before the end of the year.

The regulations have been the focus of intense lobbying with the petroleum industry, truck engine manufacturers and the trucking industry arguing that the rules will be too costly, cause problems with diesel supplies and may not be technically feasible in the required time frame.

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## NATION

## Helens

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With a surprising variety of life. The debris zone directly beneath the volcano remains sparsely vegetated, and winter snows melt quickly without the cover of dense evergreen forests.

The dark landscape is soft-

ened in springtime, as a patch of green as grasses, woody plants and other groundcover regains their seasonal footolds.

Near depressions where rainwater and snowmelt have pooled, red alder and willow saplings have taken hold; their seeds blow in from miles away.

For all of its destructive power,

the eruption

of Mount St.

Helens has been considered by scientists not so much a disaster as a natural disturbance on a grand scale, offering them an unprecedented opportunity to study the cycle of destruction and renewal that has shaped the landscape of the Pacific Northwest for centuries.

Geologists have learned how to better monitor and predict eruptions at similar volcanoes in the Cascade range and elsewhere. They also have found evidence that the gigantic landslide of Nov. 5, 1980, the mountain's north side has been a feature of eruptions starting other volcanoes.

For their part, biologists have seen intriguing, sometimes unexpected patterns of recovery in plants and trees near the mountain, prompting them to reconsider some of the classic theories of forest regeneration, or succession. "People started thinking about the idea of succession in a little different way," said James McMalmon, a Utah State University biologist who has studied the Mount St. Helens recovery. "It's not nearly so orderly, so predictable, so directional. Not everything comes back at the same rate."

The conventional view was that certain sunlight-loving "pioneer" species — grasses, sedges and

bushes — would be the first to establish themselves, to be replaced in orderly succession by more shade plants and trees over time, eventually bringing evergreens of a "climax" forest. Instead, researchers found a more diverse mosaic, with individual trees, including such climax species as true fir and Pacific silver fir, grabbing an early toehold where they could.

The models of how forests grow don't fit neatly at Mount St. Helens, Freudenthal said.

The surprising thing, he said, was that "so many things actually survived in little bits and pieces here and there." Those biological

rally to a dominant position in the landscape.

Looming above it all, Mount St. Helens itself is a disturbing presence — the shattered remains of a snow-capped peak that had been dubbed America's Mount Fuji. Once the mountain's north face served as a scenic backdrop for a pristine, forest-encircled Spirit Lake. Now it is deeply gashed, offering view into the amphitheater-like crater atop the mountain.

Rock slides still kick up puffs of dry ash that darken the snow-covered interior of the crater and occasionally bring out of alarm from onlookers worried the mountain is stirring again.

But Mount St. Helens is essentially quiescent now, geologists say, "settled" only by low-magnitude earthquakes created as molten rock in a conduit, or vent, beneath the mountain continues to cool, trapping gases that eventually cause the surrounding rock to crack.

The last event that geologists would term an eruption occurred in October 1986, according to Richard Waitt, a geologist at the U.S. Geological Survey's Cascades Volcano Observatory in Vancouver, Wash.

Since then, Waitt said, the volcano "seems to have shut itself down." The magma is getting stiff, slowing up the vent, Waitt said. The lava dome at the center of the volcano's crater ceased growing in 1986 as well, Waitt said.

Of course, the mountain could reactivate, Waitt said, offering this explanation: The geological record of past activity at Mount St. Helens suggests that one major eruption often is followed by another. But whether the time between eruptions is years, decades or longer can be difficult to judge. As it did in 1980, the mountain undoubtedly would give warnings.

Some question AOL offer to classrooms

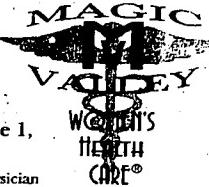
SPRINGFIELD, Va. (AP) — America Online will offer a free AOL account to every classroom in the country, company officials say will make it easier for students to get online and block them from viewing pornography.

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## WORLD

## Changing colors: Haiti gets new label as signs of drug money grows

PONT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — Mysterious planes land on deserted stretches of sand at dead of night. Gleaming gas stations sprout in a country where one in 70 people owns a car. Majestic mansions rise, turrets looming eerily over sud slums.

Sigis of drug money are growing in Haiti, one of the world's poorest nations — supporting contractors by U.S. officials that the Caribbean island has become a major conduit for smuggling narcotics into the United States. Increasingly, ill-gotten profits are staying in the cash-starved nation, fueling accusations that local authorities are tainted and toughening the challenge for U.S. anti-drug enforcers trying to slow the drug flow.

Haiti accounts for 14 percent of all cocaine entering the United States and "is now the major drug transshipment country of the entire Caribbean," said Rep. John L. Curtis, R-Fla., chairman of the House Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy and Human Resources.

With feeble local enforcement and a central location, Haiti is an ideal crossroads. It is just eight hours by speedboat from Colombia, the main cocaine producer, and an eight-hour journey from the United States.

Drugs flow through other Caribbean countries, especially the U.S. territories of Puerto Rico. But with the U.S. Coast Guard and Navy in charge of policing that island's shores, and with better organized and equipped authorities in the Dominican Republic and Jamaica trying hard to seal off their territory, international attention increasingly is focusing on Haiti.

In April, a U.S. Army Secretary Louis Caldera flew to Port-au-Prince to urge President René Preval to take tough measures to fight drug traffickers.

Special Agent Michael S. Vigil, Caribbean chief for the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, told congressional committee in April that "Haiti's weak democratic institutions (and) failing infrastructure provide South America's narcotics traffickers with a path of very little resistance."



A U.S. Customs agent removes cocaine from a hole cut into the keel of a freighter which arrived from Haiti as two other collect it in dry dock on the Miami River earlier this year in Miami, Fla.

Some 75 tons of cocaine moved through Haiti in 1999, according to the most recent State Department annual narcotics report. That's a 24 percent increase from 1998 and will likely double the annual amount under the 1991-1994 military dictatorship that monopolized the local drug trade and first opened Haiti's sea and airports to Colombian traffickers.

That dictatorship was ousted by a U.S.-led invasion in 1994 that restored Haiti's first democratically elected president, Jean-Bertrand Aristide. Results for Haitian democracy have been mixed; elections this year have been repeatedly postponed and unrest and killings. And many say the country, though freer, is more open than ever to the drug trade.

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## Official: U.N. peacekeepers are wounded

MONROVIA, Liberia — About 30 U.N. peacekeepers held captive by Sierra Leone's rebels are suffering from illnesses and injuries, including gunshot wounds, said Liberia's president.

The hostages are among 350 U.N. personnel who have been held for two weeks by the rebels. They are now in rugged jungles of eastern Sierra Leone, near the border with Liberia, Liberian President Charles Taylor told a news conference yesterday.

An eight-year civil war in Sierra Leone came to a halt last July with a peace agreement between the government and the Revolutionary United Front rebels, and U.N. peacekeepers were sent in to enforce the accord. But the peace was shattered this month when the rebels seized about 100 U.N. captives and began breaking out besieged towns and government troops, throwing the U.N. operation into disarray.

Poor countries will receive genetically modified rice

LONDON — In a move aimed at combating blindness, two biotech companies said Tuesday they have reached an agreement with the inventors of a genetically modified rice to donate seeds to poor nations.

The vitamin-enriched yellowish new grain, known as "Golden Rice," has the potential "to make a major contribution to the health of many millions in the developing world," said one of the inventors, the Anglo-Swedish firm AstraZeneca, which is in partnership with Germany's Greenovation.

But the donation of the seeds was denounced by a British food watchdog. "There's a huge amount of public relations going on at the moment in the biotech industry, which is big, crazy and desperate to improve its image with investors, the public and developing countries," said Sue Dibb of The Food Commission, an independent British organization.

Queen Elizabeth II bestows

Elizabeth Taylor with honor

LONDON — They divorced twice decades ago, but when Elizabeth Taylor became a dame Tuesday, she wanted the late Welsh actor Richard Burton by her side.

"I came to Buckingham Palace once before, years ago, with Richard, when he received the OBE," the much-married screen diva said, referring to Burton's

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**Republican candidates for two-year state Senate District 25**

Incumbent state Sen. Denton Darrington, R-Declo, faces challenger Earl Christensen of Declo in Tuesday's Republican primary for the two-year state Senate term in legislative District 25.

Because the winner of the GOP primary faces no opposition in the November general election, the contest will likely be the final decision on who will represent the district, which includes Cassia County and portions of Minidoka and Twin Falls counties.

Members of the Legislature are paid \$14,700 annually.

**Personal Information****Denton Darrington**

Age: 60  
Occupation: Farmer, retired teacher  
Education: Bachelor's degree in agriculture from Utah State University  
Political experience: Nine terms as state senator; former Cassia County Republican Chairman, former Republican precinct chairman Civic and volunteer activities: Cassia County Historical Society; Mini-Cassia Chamber of Commerce; honorary member of the Burley Kiwanis Club; Involved with Declo Days celebration

**Earl Christensen**

Age: 63  
Occupation: Farmer, rancher, warehouse supervisor  
Education: High school diploma, two years, Brigham Young University  
Political experience: Precinct chairman for Cassia County Republicans; Farm Bureau board of directors; Cassia County Planning and Zoning Commission; Walcott Watershed Advisory Group Civic and volunteer activities: Boy Scouts of America

**What are your key political goals?**

Wants to continue to pay close attention to law enforcement issues to help with duties as chairman of the Senate Judiciary and Rules Committee and ensure there are appropriate laws in that area.

Wants to reduce the size of government by both number of people and amount of money allocated at the local and state levels.

**Has the Legislature approved sufficient regulations for large-scale confined animal feeding operations?**

"I thought we put in good legislation (during the last session) for hog farms and adequate statutes for dairies and feedlots."

Says local government officials already had the authority to deal with large CAFOs and the state oversaw legislation during the recent session was unneeded. "All this talk was in fear over something that might happen. I don't think we needed anything more."

**Would you support efforts to extend the temporary one-tenth of a percent income tax break approved by the Legislature during the last legislative session? Would you support an increase of the percentage?**

"Both of those are a possibility if the economy continues to roll ahead. I can't say yes or no, but it's possible."

"They need to start cutting the taxes instead of leaving money in Boise for the department heads to do over. I would've been encouraging to make (last sessions tax break) more than \$40 million."

**EPA gives state until July for mine deal**

**COEUR D'ALENE (AP)** — Federal officials are giving the state a little breathing room to handle negotiations over a contentious mining pollution rule.

But if the state is still striking out by the end of June, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency will resume work toward new Superfund listings for the Silver Valley, according to a letter the agency sent Gov. Dirk Kempthorne on Monday.

The federal agency's stance is no surprise, a governor's spokesman said.

"That's not anything particularly new," H.D. Palmer said. "It's essentially a restatement of what EPA's position has been."

Pollution from decades of silver and lead mining in the Silver Valley left toxic waste behind, but state and federal officials disagree on cleanup.

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## Kamiah School Board meeting angers parents

KAMIAH (AP) — Parents who disagree with the Kamiah School Board's association with the North Central Idaho Jurisdictional Alliance were outraged when School Board Chairman Marvin Larson closed a public comment portion of a board meeting Monday before hearing from everyone who signed up to speak.

A group of about 50 concerned

parents, grandparents and students gathered at the meeting after marching through downtown in a display of opposition to the alliance.

The group was especially opposed to a document written by Nick Larson, an alliance member, which concluded "any true blooded Indian is inevitable" if relations between tribal and nontribal members do not improve.

The document was supported unanimously by the alliance, a group of 23 governmental agencies that have combined efforts to oppose the tribe's claims to legal authority over nontribal residents and property within the designated area of an 1863 treaty.

The Kamiah School District is an alliance member.

## High school principal returns to school

RIGBY (AP) — Rigby High School Principal Ross Smith was back in his office Monday for the first time since he was accused of pulling a knife on a student last month.

Jefferson County Sheriff's Office deputies interviewed Smith, the 16-year-old student and a coach who witnessed the incident and reviewed a surveillance tape.

But prosecutors determined there was no reason to charge Smith with assault and the Rigby School Board decided Friday to put Smith back on duty.

He was on administrative leave during the investigation.

Superintendent Dean Birch,

who refused to discuss specifics of the case, said any employee who is investigated for a criminal act is put on leave.

The student, whose name is not being used because of his age, reported that on April 13 Smith approached him in the school hallway and told him he was not performing well enough.

Then, the boy said Smith pulled out a pocket knife and pointed the 1-inch blade at the boy and told him he would have

"to cut something off so my times could be a little bit faster."

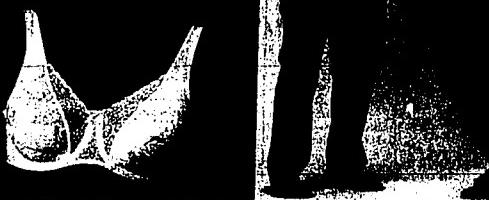
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## EDITORIAL

### Grant Loebs proves he can do the job; retain him

If the hand of Twin Falls County justice were as feeble as Mark Murphy describes it, honest citizens would be cowering and crying for reform. But virtually the only voice of complaint is Murphy's own; and that's not reason enough to elect him.

Murphy's campaign for county prosecutor has consisted of a string of accusations against the incumbent, Grant Loebs. Despite the vigor of Murphy's assault, few if any of his complaints have stuck. He has not made a persuasive case for voters to change prosecutors.

Loebs is not known as a flamboyant trial lawyer, but he has brought confident professionalism to the prosecutor's office. He works well with other segments of the justice system, and he has the respect of the police agencies that are his partners in crime fighting.

A flurry of murders early in his tenure was a baptism by fire, but Loebs' staff has brought most of those cases to successful conclusions. In our view, Loebs has earned the trust of voters for a second term.

Murphy has experience as a deputy

prosecutor in Bannock County. But his campaign against Loebs has been unappealing. Example: His claim of broad support within local law enforcement was swiftly belied by endorsements of Loebs — some of them from cops whom Murphy had claimed as backers.

Murphy's goals for the prosecutor's office are unsettling as well. His enthusiasm for civil asset forfeiture and drug task forces threatens to return Twin Falls County to a style of law enforcement that local voters and criminal-justice leaders abandoned in the early 1990s.

There are other reasons for doubts about Murphy. His recent arrival in Twin Falls and his previous status as a Pocatello Democratic functionary make him look like an opportunist in the GOP primary. A drunken incident a few years ago, in which he tried to talk police out of arresting his buddy, calls into question his ethical judgment.

Murphy's claim notwithstanding, Grant Loebs is doing a good job, and voters can expect him to continue to do so in a second term. He has our support in this election.

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### Grindstaff earns our vote

The three months that Gary Grindstaff has served as a Twin Falls County commissioner is not nearly enough time to judge his total job performance. But he seems to be off to a decent start, and Republican voters should not hesitate to nominate him for a full term.

Grindstaff took office in February, appointed by Gov. Dirk Kempthorne to replace the departing Carla Reed. His background made him an easy choice for Kempthorne, and for the local Republican leaders who recommended him.

As a farmer, Grindstaff understands the industry that drives much of the community's economy, and he understands the external tension between rural development and rural preservation. As a long-time leader in the local Republican Party, he has political experience and connections.

His tenure so far has been uneven

and appropriate, he has spent time listening and learning. On the most incendiary county issue, confined-animal feeding operations, he has shown an open mind, along with an appreciation for the economic benefits of that growing industry.

Both of his GOP opponents, Jay Fort and Larry Compton, are decent men who care about the county's future. The 37-year-old Fort, who made the local party's short list of recommendations to the governor in February, seems particularly well-grounded in local issues. We hope to see him in another campaign someday soon.

Grindstaff, however, should be voters' choice this time. By January, when the winner of this year's election will be sworn in, he'll have had 11 months to learn the job. Republican voters should nominate him for a full term to show what he can do.

### **Vote 2000**

Three candidates are running for the Republican nomination for Twin Falls County commissioner. District 1: incumbent Gary Grindstaff of Buhi, Larry R. Compton of Buhi and Jay B. Fort of Filer. The winner will face independent candidates Grant R. Atkinson and Bill Chisholm, both of Buhi, in the November general election.

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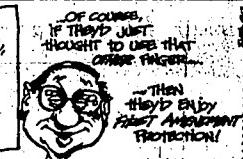


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## OPINION

## LETTERS

**Our City Needs Good Leadership**  
As an Idahoan, I am very concerned about our city's future. Why don't you get in touch with the candidates and ride the route to see them? There is and always will be a connection in our interests between our country and personal interest. Get involved.

BILL REED

Jessie

**Stateboarders Break the Law**

With regard to the day care centers which have recently undergone inspection for the criminal sections of an act to some stateboarders, I am horrified.

These stateboarders were and are not breaking the law. The only law allegedly broken is the physical abuse of a minor. Posting a sign does not make it law. Being a minority group does not give them the power of the right, when the majority does not.

Some stateboarders may be ignorant and disrespectful. However, do you suppose these kids deserved that? Could it be from adult role models? How many adults have ever passed by a bus stop, left a shopping cart to roll into another car, cheated on their tax return, or over the speed limit, showed our countrymen made fun of the president of the United States? The media continually makes fun and shows little respect for the leaders of our country, even the Pope.

I have observed stateboarders and have also taken the time to say hello and ask them to show me some of their moves. These kids have been exposed to other adults who are eager to show off their acts. How many of the authors of negative laws have ever even said hello to these kids? Why would any adult expect kids to run to respect to people who visibly disrespect and negatively label them?

Inner-city kids play baseball in the streets—can have to stop, windows get broken, flowers get trampled out, but people realize there is no other place to play. Our stateboarders have no place to play.

I don't personally know a stateboarder, but if I do it looks like fun and I am willing to contribute to help build a state park if someone will contact me. Twin Falls is spending a large amount of money on a sculpture, why not on a place for stateboarders? Both are community worthwhile projects.

For those who care, but if an adult had done what the media reports to one of my children, I'd have sued and pressed for every possible criminal charge.

Role models go beyond parents—we're all role models to youth and we all need to improve.

DONNA STALLEY

Twin Falls

**Unfair editorial vilified ICC**

It was obvious your editorial on Friday, May 12, was an effort to vilify the Idaho Christian Coalition and Dennis Mansfield.

Let me put on a line here, however, as to what your own definition of this group and this man.

Could it be there are more than just a few people interested in the candidate's answers to the questions on the Idaho Christian Coalition's questionnaire? Maybe "don't ask, don't tell" isn't really the best way to determine who's most qualified to be entrusted with the responsibilities of political office?

You brand Dennis Mansfield as being of divisive character with a narrow, vindictive agenda, rigid to tone yet shallow in intellect. Have you ever talked to Dennis personally or is this verbal

trash talking something you never heard anyone else say? Is it because of the name of the organization or dirty robes? The Idaho Christian Coalition has done a very good job of getting out the word in our state. In fact, they are the ones who started the religious醒悟 and still let me go down all the way before they realize what's in the package. Who to that man or woman who dares reveal what's in the package while it's still out in the light so what's inside can be seen.

JOANNE LUCERINGER

Twin Falls

**Note for Clinton Shows View**

Independent candidates have seven independent candidates now competing for the nomination, called independent because of their limited political position; seem to follow the solutions for all of the world's problems. Elam's relatives in Mexico visit this young lad as a political football.

To start a new life in the United States and get away from the family. However, they forgot one thing—they would not be obey the rules. They would not be any different than Cuba.

WILLIAM FORNADAY

Holiday Inn

**Voter Elam for Justice**

Idaho voters will have an opportunity to make a choice on the Idaho Supreme Court judge's race between sitting Justice Cathy Silak and 4th District Judge Dan Eismann.

The primary election on May 23 will determine who will be the Supreme Court justice for the next six years. This justice will participate in many important decisions concerning Idaho's water and natural resources.

Justice Silak wrote the high court's majority opinion in a 3-2 decision that gave the federal government all the water rights in three of Idaho's wilderness areas. She also has a hand in the Supreme Court's employee liability decisions. It holds employers responsible for actions of off-duty and former employees.

Judge Eismann's record as a 4th District judge is one of strict constructionist who reads readings more into a law than its authors intended. He is noted for being tough on crime, and his innovative Ada County Drug Court program has proven highly successful.

There are clear philosophical differences between Justice Silak and Judge Eismann. If you want the federal government to control our water and natural resources, you will be happy with the continuation of the present Idaho Supreme Court. If you would like to have Idaho control our water and natural resources, Judge Daniel T. Eismann is the individual to vote for in the primary election on May 23. Judge Eismann will be getting my vote.

JOHN A. BERT STEVENSON

Elmer

**Higens should be sheriff**

This letter is to show our support for Jim Higens, who is running for the Republican nomination for Cassia County sheriff. All of the candidates are good men. But through our professional and personal experience, Jim Higens is our choice because of his experience and integrity.

We urge all residents to vote for Jim Higens in the May 23 primary election.

SHARON HOPKINS

RAYMOND HOPKINS

Burley

**Mark's current support**

I am writing in support of George Wewell for Cassia County Sheriff. I have known George for many years and know him to be a person of integrity. There are actions that should have been taken within the sheriff's department, neither Sheriff Crystal nor Undersheriff Higgins have addressed the problems, wrongdoing and corruption that go down all the way before they realize what's in the package. Who to that man or woman who dares reveal what's in the package while it's still out in the light so what's inside can be seen.

JOANNE LUCERINGER

Twin Falls

**Cassia needs Wewell**

Having visited with and investigated the issues that George Wewell stands for, it is my feeling that he is the man that can do the job as Cassia County Sheriff. We need a sheriff that is efficient, caring, honest and trustworthy. We need a sheriff that cares about those in our county. I feel that George is the one that fits these descriptions. The sheriff needs to have a good working relationship with those he works with on a daily basis. I have no doubt that George is capable of this.

It is interesting how Crystal, after stating he would not be a candidate but would be under sheriff for Higgins, filed on the independent ticket as it became apparent that Higgins would have the most support. Thus, if Higgins wins the primary, we will see how quickly Crystal drops his candidacy on the other hand, if Higgins loses the primary, watch and see how quickly his support goes to Crystal. In other words, a vote for Higgins is a vote for Crystal.

I am sure each of these gentle men have many admirable qualities and could offer much as a deputy. I do strongly believe that a complete change in leadership is in the best interest of the department and of our county.

With Higgins, we do not get that complete change in leadership.

We certainly do need a sheriff that will run the office as it has in the past, and I feel that this could be Higgins. If Higgins else should be elected, it could be status quo. It has been brought to my attention that many of the officers are in support of George and that if he is not elected that several probably will be leaving Cassia County.

We want a man that is willing to work with those in the community and all others. He needs to work with all departments of law and be open for communication. I believe that George will see that his officers receive the latest training on new laws and things

pertaining to all aspects of the community.

You have my support, George BILL ALURICH Burley

**Make your 'Mark' count**

I have known Mark Murphy for more than six years and strongly support him for Twin Falls County prosecutor in the May 23 primary election. Mr. Murphy's expertise and professional training offer the citizens of Twin Falls County an encouraging solution to lowering our county's high crime rate.

Gov. Kempthorne repeatedly stated Idaho will be a firm enforcer of drug-related clients, and Mr. Murphy's experience as lead prosecutor in a multi-agency drug task force can improve this desired outcome.

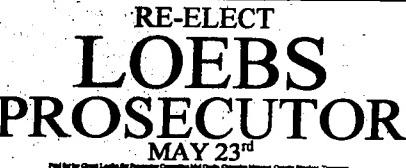
During Mr. Murphy's nine years as a deputy prosecutor, he attended and graduated from numerous schools throughout the nation, including advanced narcotics investigation and prosecution, forensic evidence and advanced trial practice, as well as gang and violent crime prosecution. He is also a faculty member of the Top Gun

Narcotics Investigation and Prosecution School.

Mark Murphy has prosecuted a large number of cases, including homicide, rape, child abuse, domestic abuse, juvenile offenses, drug trafficking and conspiracy. I am acquainted with many law-enforcement employees who can easily praise Mr. Murphy's commitment to resolving each case in a timely, efficient and just manner.

Kudos to you, Mark Murphy, for choosing to run a campaign on actual court records that support your public statements. I reviewed these documents and am dismayed by the high felony dismissals and reduction rates in this country. Idaho's 1999 crime rates printed in the May 1 Times-News and stated on the May 8 KTVB Channel 7 p.m. news, reflect Twin Falls as the same capital of Idaho. The voters of Twin Falls County can change that by electing Mark Murphy as prosecutor.

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**WEST****Victim's widow wants death penalty**

CALDWELL (AP) — The widow of a man fatally stabbed wants the inmate convicted of killing him executed instead of having his sentence changed to life in prison.

Donald Kenneth Fetterly's resentencing hearing could wrap up Thursday — more than 16 years since then-3rd District Judge Edward Lodge sentenced him to die.

"He put my husband to death," Rosalee Grummer said Monday after testifying during the first day of the resentencing hearing.

A jury found Fetterly, now 42, guilty of killing Sterling Grammer in the victim's Caldwell apartment in 1983.

Prosecutors said Fetterly stabbed Grammer after Fetterly's girlfriend, Karen Windsor, bound the two men with duct tape. The two dropped their body in the Snake River and stole his car and pickup, they said.

Judge, now a federal judge, also sentenced Windsor to death. The Idaho Supreme Court in 1985 overturned her sentence on grounds that she did not actually stab Grammer. Fifth District Judge Daniel Meehl later sentenced her to life in prison.

**University of Utah pushes diversity**

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — The University of Utah shouldn't limit its definition of diversity to race, ethnicity and gender as it tries to become less homogeneous, according to University of Utah President Bernice MacKenzie.

"Diversity has many dimensions," he said, including educational, geographic, religious, cultural and personal differences.

MacKenzie's expanded definition of diversity also includes "sexual orientation and other defining personal characteristics."

His statements, made in a faculty senate meeting, come after a spate of criticism about the dearth of minorities at the university. In April, the school's Health Sciences Faculty Advisory Board said that numbers of minority faculty, staff and students were too low at the medical schools.

On the heels of that complaint, the U.S. Labor Department began an investigation into the school's hiring practices.

Also in April, the university's diversity committee published a 30-page report stating that the institution employs and educates far fewer women and minorities than other schools. It also said minorities are underrepresented at the university when compared with the general population of Salt Lake County.

A day after the report was released, co-author Mark McPhail — the university's only tenured, full-time black professor — resigned, citing MacKenzie's lack of response to the diversity problem as a reason.

**County says no to murder investigation**

SANDPOINT (AP) — Bonner County commissioners will not seek for a state investigation into the 1999 shooting of burglary suspect Rex Prewitt.

The board reversed its decision after learning the FBI already reviewed the case. The U.S. Justice Department studied the FBI's work and cleared county deputies of violating Prewitt's civil rights.

"I don't think it's prudent to waste more tax dollars to look into it again," Commissioner Brian Orr said. "We hadn't been presented with all the facts."

Prewitt's family and a reporter for the anti-government tabloid The Idaho Observer demanded a special investigation into the shooting. They accused local officials, including prosecutors and Prewitt's defense attorney, of participating in a cover-up.

Prewitt was shot June 25, 1999, when deputies went to his house to assist Sandpoint police in a burglary investigation. Officers said that after they pounded on the door, Prewitt burst out with a gun pointed at Deputy Eric Skinner.

Deputy Bill Tilson shot Prewitt to disarm him. Prewitt, who has a prior murder conviction in Idaho, later pleaded guilty to aggravated assault on Skinner as part of a plea bargain. He is serving up to 10 years in prison.

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## AROUND THE VALLEY

### Traffic on Highway 30 temporarily detoured

**SPOKEMONT** - Eastbound traffic traveling on U.S. Highway 30 one mile west of Filer will be rerouted to 2100 East and 3950 North between Rohr and Filer for the next four days, the Idaho Transportation Department said in a news release.

The detour was caused by a pipe that is exposed and deteriorating.

### Sun Valley Community School excels on test

**SUN VALLEY** - The Community School finished second in the nation in its division on a National Test of Engineering Aptitude, Mathematics and Science.

Of the 1,704 schools who participated in the test at the state level, 500 qualified for the national competition. Sixteen schools, including the Community School, came in the small private school division at nationals. The Sun Valley school's score of 337, one point behind the national division winner, the Texas Academy of Science and Technology.

Members of the state champion team were: Graham Donald, Mike Bjork, Jones Welch, Stephan Wasilewski, Colleen Enright, Holly Sonnefeld and Mike LaPoter. The coach was Richard Halsdorff of the school's math department.

The exam consists of 100 multiple-choice questions with an emphasis on physics, engineering and math.

### Wood River watershed group will hold meeting

**HAILEY** - The Wood River Watershed Advisory Group will hold a board meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the second floor commissioners' meeting room at the Blaine County Courthouse.

The agenda includes an update on the two maximum daily load water pollution guidelines and a discussion procedure. The public is invited to attend.

### Sign up to compete in the fiddlers' state competition

**HAILEY** - The Old Time Fiddlers' state competition will be held at 8 a.m. Saturday in the Wood River High School auditorium. Preliminaries will begin at 8 a.m. with the Grand Championship Competition at 7 p.m.

Competition forms are available from the Hailey Chamber of Commerce or district representatives from the fiddlers' association. The entry fee is \$5 for the preliminary competition. Entry fee for the grand championship division is \$25.

Seven division winners will be certified to go on to compete in the National Old Time Fiddlers' Competition held annually in Weiser from June 20 to 23.

If more information, or to have an application sent, call the Hailey Chamber of Commerce, Center 13 W. Carson, Hailey, ID 83333, toll free (208) 788-2700, or fax to 788-1535 during business hours or 788-9858 after business hours. The chamber's e-mail address is haileyid@idconet.net.

### Community, education grant applications sought

**TWIN FALLS** - The Idaho Community Foundation is accepting grant applications from Magic Valley communities, an agency news release announced.

The foundation awards grants for activities, services and projects by charitable organizations and public agencies, particularly to organizations seeking to meet emerging community needs. Grants up to \$5,000 are available under the foundation's program, which covers arts, health, education, human services, arts and culture, public programs and the environment.

The foundation also is seeking grant proposals for projects designed to enhance public school education, a project made possible by a J.A. & Kathryn Albertson Foundation grant, the news release said. Preschool and latchkey programs, as well as other educational component also are eligible. Grants for these projects will range from \$5,000 to \$25,000. Teachers, schools and school districts can apply.

Applications must be postmarked no later than Aug. 1. Call 800-657-5337 for more information. The Idaho Community Foundation is a statewide, nonprofit organization with assets exceeding \$32 million.

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Section B

## Voters support levies

**Blaine School Board race turns into coin toss**

The Times-News

**TWIN FALLS** - A coin toss will decide a tie breaker in the Blaine County School Board election that saw deck candidates split votes in Tuesday's election.

Idaho law stipulates that a tie race is decided by the toss of a coin. Blaine County Clerk Cathy

Zaccardi said late Tuesday after election results were tallied.

Challenger Gary Stivers tied board Chairwoman Lita Sullivan, who is seeking a fourth term in Zone 2. The School Board must decide whether it will hold the coin toss, first for the district, Zaccardi said.

Elsewhere in the region voters

opted for leadership changes in several districts, held on to incumbents in a few and chose to continue annual financial support to their districts.

• **BLISS:** The district's plant facilities levy received an overwhelming 97 percent of the vote. Out of 61 ballots, only two people did not support passage of

the levy that will continue to raise \$30,000 annually for 10 years. The district needed at least a 55 percent majority to pass the levy, which accounts for half of its yearly maintenance budget. The levy was first approved in 1990, and Tuesday's vote will extend it another 10 years. Please see SCHOOLS, Page B3

## Ketchum eyes growing parking issue

By Karen Beesick  
Times-News correspondent

**KETCHUM** - Attempting to address a growing parking problem during ski season, the City of Ketchum took a tentative first step toward parking meters, parking permits or parking garages Monday afternoon.

The Planning and Zoning commission spent nearly an hour wrestling with the issue in a special meeting Monday afternoon to help the city council write the transportation and parking section of Ketchum's comprehensive plan. They presented their recommendations to the City Council later that evening during another special session.

They recommended the establishment of a parking authority for the city and said the city should make users pay for parking in the city's central core. That could mean the use of parking meters or underground parking.

However, the need for such drastic measures - at least any time soon - didn't sit well with some commission members.

"I don't feel we have a huge parking problem," now-Commissioner Peter Gray told the council. "Parking is tight but I don't think it's bad enough to stay that way. I would like to take a shotgun approach and throw out every conceivable strategy so locals don't end up bearing the brunt of it."

But planning for the inevitable is a must, others said.

"The question is: Do we want to decide what we're comfortable with and come up with strategies to achieve that? Or do we want to throw our hands up and say, 'Whatever will come will come?'" asked Planning and Zoning Administrator Lisa Horowitz.

Council members Maurice Charlat and Christine Potters said that the council needs to deal with the issue step by step, get the public on board.

"This is a really big deal and we want the public to feel comfortable with it," said Potters.

But Charlat also wasn't comfortable about requiring underground parking until the need is

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Annie Weisztein gives his dog Annie encouragement during an obedience class at the College of Southern Idaho Tuesday night. The class is designed to help dog owners teach their pets basic commands such as "sit" and "stay." Thursday is the last class in this session, but a new class will be taught in July. If you are interested in signing up, call 733-9554, Ext. 2290.

## Groundwater contamination source remains uncertain, state study says

By M.S. Holzknecht  
Times-News writer

**BLISS** - A state groundwater study shows a local dairy is not the source of contamination in nearby springs, the dairy's operator says.

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will require further monitoring and evaluation," the report said.

Bosma is embroiled in a legal battle with his neighbors, including the Butler family, who live below Bosma's dairy. Bosma has filed two lawsuits against the Butlers. The Butlers have filed counterclaims. And the Idaho Rural Council has sued Bosma under the federal Clean Water Act.

At issue is an agreement between the Butlers and Bosma, upon which Bosma's water right depends, and nitrate and bacteria contamination of the Butlers' spring.

The Butlers say Bosma's operation has contributed to the problems in the spring, which had elevated nitrate levels before Bosma started his dairy in 1995. The Butlers have withdrawn from the agreement.

Bosma has steadfastly denied that the water quality problems

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## Heyburn man faces kidnap, rape charges

By Ruth Streeter  
Times-News writer

**RUPERT** - A Heyburn man has been charged with two counts of kidnapping and one count of rape, in connection with the abduction of a 23-year-old woman and her 20-month-old nephew from a Heyburn gas station early Monday morning.

Carlos Barraga Garcia, 30, was in custody Tuesday on a \$100,000 bond.

Garcia was charged with one count of first-degree kidnapping and second-degree kidnapping "with the intent to commit rape." He was arrested from his home in Minidoka County on Monday morning.

The woman later said Garcia had forced her to go to Twin Falls, and have sex with him at a motel, the affidavit said.

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## Hog farm application heads for review

For the first time, Big Sky Farms puts issue before state

By Ruth Streeter  
Times-News writer

**BURLEY** - The developer of a large hog farm, who applied in October 1999 to locate in Cassia County, has filed paperwork with the state's Department of Environmental Quality.

The Big Sky Farms' application, filed Thursday, opens a state and county review of the project that could take at least six months. And the county will go the process on its own, without using a state-county review committee allowed under a new Idaho law.

For the time being, the Big Sky Farms application puts the issue before the state. It gives the DEQ 30 days to determine whether the application is complete.

If the application passes the review, the state must review the suitability of the proposed site.

Meanwhile, Cassia County has decided not to operate under a livestock siting bill that recently passed the Legislature. The bill, backed by Sen. Denton Darrington, R-Declo, gives the counties optional guidelines, and a way to tap into state expertise.

The county opted not to use the siting committee, as spelled out in the bill, which passed earlier this year. That's because Big Sky Farms had filed its application with the county before the bill was passed, county administrator Tim Hurst said.

Instead, the county is employing a resolution it passed in March, that enables it to form a siting committee made up of local and state agency officials.

Through an agreement with the state departments of agriculture, health and welfare and water resources, DEQ and state universities, the county will conduct its own site evaluation team.

That team would evaluate a proposed livestock operation site within 30 days of receiving an application and pass its recommendation on to the county's planning and zoning commission. The commission could accept or reject the recommendation.

The planning and zoning commission must wait for the state's site suitability report to be completed before it can schedule a public hearing.

The Cassia County Coalition, a group of local residents who oppose the 50,000-sow opera-

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at around 2:30 a.m. Monday at the Wayside Sinker Station on Idaho Highway 24, according to a sworn affidavit signed by Lt. Randy White.

Upon arrival, a woman told White that a man kidnapped her sister at around 1:30 a.m., taking off in her sister's vehicle, the affidavit said.

The vehicle was later found abandoned on the 1600 block of 16th Street in Heyburn. Meanwhile, Garcia's vehicle was gone from his driveway, the affidavit said.

At around 1:30 p.m. officers spotted Garcia's vehicle in the parking lot of the Burley Mart, the affidavit said. Garcia, the woman and the boy were all interviewed.

The woman later said Garcia had forced her to go to Twin Falls, and have sex with him at a motel, the affidavit said.

## MAGIC VALLEY

# Gooding city takes title of old state tuberculosis hospital property

By Alene Wilson  
Times-News correspondent

**GOODING** — The city of Gooding now owns the old state tuberculosis hospital property, having purchased the deed for \$10, Mayor George Dains said.

Sixteen hundred dollars were spent for advertising the property. No state agencies were interested.

But local Basque Association representatives Helen Furtado, Louis Bustarrrechea and John Ach attended Monday's City Council meeting and again expressed interest in leasing the 4.2 acres of land for construction of a Basque cultural center.

City Superintendent Todd Bunn said the water line on the

property needs repair before the land can be developed. The estimated repair costs \$7,000.

Council members said they favor a 30-year property lease to the Basque Association. Councilman Phillip Becker addressed the possibility of selling the property if the parties can agree on a price.

A work session will be held at 7 p.m., June 1 at City Hall.

In other business: Gooding resident Judee Goode said she would like to see a beautification project to try to get more visitors into town. One possibility is a welcome sign at the edge of town. The governor will award the five best projects with a new computer.

A meeting on beautification is

planned for 7 p.m., May 18 at the Gooding Bed and Breakfast.

The Southern Idaho Regional Communication Center requested a subleasing a tower to Netcom, Viasat and cellular phone provider. Councilman Robert Reed suggested looking into the old lease to try to get some of the \$1,000 sublease fee SIRCOMM would receive.

The council approved a plan to put together a 15-minute fireworks display for the price of \$1,500 to \$2,000.

The council approved a \$48,000 project to pave the driveway for the new county ambulance building. Gordon Paving will be the project contractor. The city's share of the cost will be \$4,000.

# Hansen board looks at new vo-tech building

By Margaret Jones  
Times-News correspondent

**HANSEN** — School Board members toured the district's new vocational building during its Monday night meeting.

The new \$428,000 building will have carpentry classes for Hansen and possibly Advanced Regional Technical Education Coalition students. It replaces an old classroom in the basement under the gymnasium.

Work on the building is complete except for floor tile, in the space designated for two classrooms.

In other business:

Elementary school principal Tom Stanley said the third Idaho Reading Initiative grant had been given to kindergarten through third-grade students. Idaho Reading Initiative summer school will be held June 12 through June 28.

Results of the direct math and direct writing skills had shown the students were above state average in writing but below average in math.

Superintendent Dennis Coulter announced he had received letters of intent to teach next year from all the faculty members, but some coaches had said they would like to step down next season.

Mike Wilson, the district's technology instructor, had also said he wouldn't be returning next fall.

• Cheerleader advisers Valerie Reeves and Charlotte Lewis asked for the board's approval for planned fund-raising projects.

The cheerleaders have planned a pancake supper and silent auction at the school's orientation June 17. They are also planning a car wash and a sale of coupon books to raise the \$110 each cheerleader needs to attend cheerleader camp to be held July 26-28.

In all, 29 high school and junior high school students who tried out to be cheerleaders. All 29 will participate.

Upcoming events include pre-orientation for eighth- through 12th-graders, today; National Honor Society induction and barbecue, today; and the elementary school read-a-thons, today.

The athletic awards banquet will be held Thursday at 6 p.m.

Seventh-grade orientation is slated for May 23 at 7 p.m.

The secondary school awards

assembly will be held May 26 at 12:45 p.m., with graduation at 6 p.m., May 26.

The elementary school awards assembly will be held May 25, with the kindergarten through third-grade students recognized at 1:15 p.m., and fourth through sixth-grade students at 2:30 p.m.

Summer computer camp for third- through eighth-graders will run June 12 to July 12.

The summer book club for second- through sixth-graders will run from June 16 to July 28.

The special education resource summer school and Title One summer school will run from July 31 to Aug. 16.

The library will be open on Thursdays from 10 a.m. to noon.

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## Schools could miss out on \$300,000 additional endowment funds because of Hailey gravel dispute

By Karen Bassick  
Times-News correspondent

HAILEY — Idaho could miss out on \$300,000 of additional endowment funds for public schools this year if a fight over a gravel pit north of Hailey goes unresolved this summer, a spokesman for the Department of Lands said Tuesday.

Blaine County Planning and Zoning commissioners last week turned down an application by a Hailey contractor to extract gravel from state-owned lands in Ohio Gulch. That has concerns for residents and environmentalists.

However, the Department of Lands maintains the county doesn't have any say over what happens on state endowment lands.

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The 680-acre site contains about \$22 million worth of gravel, Nichols said.

Nichols said the state doesn't have a defined action plan yet for resolving the conflict, but a resolution of the issue is on the board of commissioners, with Blaine County lawmakers Rep. Wendy Jaquet, D-Ketchum, and Sen. Clint Stennett, D-Ketchum, to

discuss the issue. Jaquet attended last week's commissioners' meeting.

Jaquet said, she and Stennett may also meet with a county representative over the issue.

Nichols said he hoped an agreement might be reached without going to court.

"We're disappointed

the county didn't approve the conditional use permit. It's not inconsistent,

with historical and current uses, which include gravel extraction and waste dumping," he said.

"We hope we can work something out regarding transportation, safety and operational hours that will address residents' concerns."

**Times-News correspondent Karen Bassick can be reached in Hailey at 578-2111.**

## SERVICES — DEATH NOTICES

**Leonard 'Buck' Sumney**

TWIN FALLS — Leonard "Buck" Sumney, 86, of Twin Falls, died Monday, May 15, 2000, at SunBridge Care and Rehabilitation Center in Twin Falls.

Arrangements are under the direction of Parker's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

**Ruth Coon**

PAUL — Ruth Coon, 92, of Paul, died Tuesday, May 16, 2000, at Minidoka Memorial Hospital in Rupert.

Arrangements are pending and will be announced by Payne Mortuary in Twin Falls.

**Robert P. Wolf, Jr.**

HAZELTON — Robert Pierce Wolf, Jr., 76, of Hazelton, died Tuesday, May 16, 2000, at St. Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise.

Arrangements are pending and will be announced by Payne Mortuary in Twin Falls.

## HOSPITALS

### MAGIC VALLEY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

Some names are omitted at patients' request.

**Admitted**

Carol Childs of Hagerman; Lula McGowan of Twin Falls; and Elaine Grammer and Ward Mackie, both of Buhl.

**Released**

Gayle Boyd of Twin Falls; and Colbie Kliegel of Buhl.

### MINIDOKA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

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**Admitted**

Consuela Chapa, George Russell, Richard Dedrick and Carrie Barboza and baby boy, all of Rupert.

**Released**

Helena Wilkinson of Burley; William Baker of Heyburn; and Ruth Coon of Paul.

## OBITUARY

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### SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

#### Floyd H. Hurst

Floyd H. Hurst died peacefully on Saturday, May 13, 2000, of leukemia at age 75. He has returned home to his Father in Heaven and joined his wife, particularly his brother, who has greatly missed him.

He was born April 3, 1925, in Zurich, Blaine County, Montana, son of Winfield and Alvella Thorne Hurst. His family moved to Declo, Idaho, where he graduated from Declo High School in 1944, the fourth child in a family of 12 children. He was raised in a wonderful family that stayed close over the years. He always had a great love for his Mother, who cared for him during many illnesses his years. He moved to Salt Lake City in 1944, and took several business classes at night. He worked for Nelson-Ricks, Laura Scudder's, Addressograph-Multigraph and

Mountain Land Business Systems. Floyd was a man of service. He always thought of others first. He was active in The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He served for 15 years as first counselor in the Blaine County South Salt Lake Stake, and for six years as Bishop of the Kimball Ward. His great love was family history, where he and his wife spent countless hours researching and helping others with their family histories. He loved to speak at the South Salt Lake City Councilman. During his time there, he was highly respected for his fiscal responsibility. He aided with city planning during the growth period of the 1960s and early 1970s. He was Public Safety Commissioner for 14 years, where he helped develop the city's police force from nine men to 25.

Survived by two sons, William S. Hurst of Park City, Utah, and Mark S. Hurst of Salt Lake City; a daughter, Lucille Kuhn of Grand Junction, Colo.; Claudia Baker of Enwell, New York, and Irene Anne Shurtliff of Taylor, B.C., Canada; 19 grandchildren; three sisters and seven brothers; including Leona Anderson of Blackfoot, Lilo (Utah) Hurst of Declo, Harold (Irene) Hurst of Hoyden, Arvel (Geraldine) Hurst of Visalia, Calif.; Arlene (Jay) Cheever of Roy, Utah; Arlene (Roy) Hurst of Declo, Archie (Kathy) Hurst of Bonneville, Utah; Earl (Lois) Hurst of Declo, LaMar (Joan) Hurst of Rupert, and Belva Henschel of Rock Springs.

Preceded in death by his wife, parents, and a brother, Vernal Hurst.

To Dr. Reilly and his staff, we express our love and appreciation for the excellent care Floyd received.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Twin Falls Community Center at 1495 W. Tamarkat Road in Taylorville, Utah; enter at 11 p.m. Friday. Friends may call 5-8 p.m. Friday at McDougal's Funeral Home at 4330 S. Redwood Road in Salt Lake City, Utah, and from 10-45 a.m. Saturday at the church, Interment, Salt Lake City Cemetery.

#### Larry Compton

Republican-Twin Falls County Commissioner

Bachelor Degree in Business Administration, 25 years

experience in Business, Finance and Real Estate, 4 years

Agriculture experience, A strong background in politics

Twin Falls County Commissioner

Paid for by Compton, Bob Compton, Treasurer

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**MAGIC VALLEY/WEST****Ketchum, chamber plan concert series**By Karen Botsick  
Times-News correspondent

**KETCHUM** — Ketchum will be rocking and rolling this summer, thanks to 10 free weekly events to be held in the Forest Service park.

Ketchum resident Bill Caldwell told the Ketchum City Council Monday night that the concerts will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. Wednesdays from June 28 through Aug. 2.

Caldwell said he hopes to have one or two groups perform each night for the 2000 Ketchum Summer Concert Series. He also hopes to plan some dance and educational programs, perhaps educational efforts as simple as teaching teenagers how to set up sound equipment.

Organizers have compiled a list of 28 musical groups within the valley, and expect the list to grow. They have also hired Heather Lamonica, a recent Boise State University graduate, as part-time coordinator.

Caldwell suggested the 2000 concert series, after last summer's Ketchum 'Alive' series was tabled due to lack of interest on the part of Ketchum business community.

The concert series will generate \$10,000, which the Sun Valley/Ketchum Chamber of Commerce had allotted for Ketchum 'Alive', including \$2,000 to buy sound equipment. The equipment will become city property to use for Wagon Days, and other occasions in lieu of renting sound equipment, Caldwell said.

Caldwell says the bands will play for free.

The chamber's involvement in the concert series drew praise from one Ketchum resident.

"They're doing the right thing," Mickey Garcia said. "This isn't a ploy by chamber to have their name in my pocket."

A local businessman dismissed a lawsuit from a citizen group who said it was inappropriate for the city to pay the Sun Valley/Ketchum Chamber of Commerce for marketing and other services.

Also Monday, Carol Waller, director of the Sun Valley/Ketchum chamber, defended her group's work.

"If you don't think we need marketing, look around and see how

**Candidate decries absence from vote guide**

**LEWISTON** (AP) — Republican 1st District congressional candidate Ron McMurray said he was not listed in a controversial voter guide because of the former president of the National Christian Coalition, not because of how strong his campaign is.

McMurray, a former state Republican Party chairman of Lewiston, disputes Kelly Walton's assessment of the 1st District race in light of the fact Walton is a member of Idaho Family Forum founder Dennis Mansfield's congressional campaign committee.

The Idaho Christian Coalition's board of directors is urging voters to ignore its voter guide for the May 23 primary election because it contends it would not have approved either the questionnaires used or the guide in their present form.

Walton said Lt. Gov. Butch Otter and Mansfield are the only congressional candidates listed in the guide.

The National Christian Coalition has cited Internal Revenue Service figures which candidates polling less than 10 percent of the voters can be considered nonviable when publishing the voter guide, he said.

many businesses are closed," said Waller, referring to the full in business between ski season and Sun Valley's busy summer season. "If we had this level of business year-round, we would be in business. Chamber activity is reinvestment in local business."

Waller said Sun Valley's local option tax collections from lodging, liquor and retail business from January to March was up 5 percent from a year ago.

Ketchum local option tax collections were up 6 percent from a year ago.

**AUCTION CALENDAR**

THROUGH JUNE 7

**FRIDAY, MAY 19 - 7:00 PM**  
Wally Petersen Benefit Auction/Dance  
Art - Antiques - Donated Items  
Twin Falls

Advertisement: May 17  
**JMA AUCTIONS INC.**  
[www.jmasales.com](http://www.jmasales.com)

**FRIDAY, MAY 19 - 11:00 AM**  
Lavon Hansen Estate  
Machinery - Vehicles - Shop  
Household - Antiques - Heyburn  
Advertisement: May 17  
**MASTERS AUCTION SERVICES**  
[www.mastersauction.com](http://www.mastersauction.com)

**FRIDAY, MAY 19 - 11:00 AM**  
Office Furniture & Supplies Auction  
Heyburn  
Advertisement: May 14 & 17  
**US AUCTIONS**  
[www.us-auctions.com](http://www.us-auctions.com)

**SATURDAY, MAY 20 - 9:00 AM**  
Idaho Department of Law Enforcement  
Autos - Police Vehicles - Eagle  
Advertisement: May 14  
**MUSIC & SONS, INC.**  
[www.music-auction.com](http://www.music-auction.com)

**SATURDAY, MAY 20 - 10:30 AM**  
Jesse Linn Estate  
Household - Antiques  
Shop Equipment - Burley  
Advertisement: May 17  
**BILL ESTES & ASSOCIATES**  
[www.bills-auctions.com](http://www.bills-auctions.com)

**SATURDAY, MAY 20 - 11:00 AM**  
Laura Cain Estate  
Household - Collectibles - Twin Falls  
Advertisement: May 18  
**MASTERS AUCTION SERVICES**  
[www.mastersauction.com](http://www.mastersauction.com)

**SATURDAY, MAY 20 - 11:00 AM**  
UEL Walker Estate  
Household-Misc-Rupert  
Advertisement: May 18  
**BOURN AUCTION SERVICE**  
[www.bourn-auction.com](http://www.bourn-auction.com)

**SUNDAY, MAY 21 - 1:00 PM**  
Bob Kuk Estate  
Older Farm Machinery - Antiques  
Collectibles - Burley  
Advertisement: May 19  
**MASTERS AUCTION SERVICES**  
[www.mastersauction.com](http://www.mastersauction.com)

**TUESDAY, MAY 23 - 6:00 PM**  
Household-Antiques  
Consignments Welcome-Jerome  
**KLAAS AUCTION BARN**  
[www.klaas-auction.com](http://www.klaas-auction.com)

**THURSDAY, MAY 25 - 8:00 PM**  
Cecil & Curran Davidson  
Antique Oak Furniture  
Collectibles - Household  
Gooding  
Advertisement: May 23  
**MASTERS AUCTION SERVICES**  
[www.mastersauction.com](http://www.mastersauction.com)

**TUESDAY, MAY 30 - 1:00 PM**  
Cold Creek Land Auction  
Real Estate-American Falls  
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US Auctions  
[www.us-auctions.com](http://www.us-auctions.com)

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## Roughing it in good taste

Web site  
gets new  
recipes daily

By Denise Turner  
Times-News writer

**TWIN FALLS** - Here are some new recipes submitted to our Internet recipe exchange. People are signing onto the new exchange daily. Don't miss out on this chance to share and save some great recipes. Check the information at the bottom of this column to see how you can sign up.

The barbecue side dish recipes are from Dirk Martin of Twin Falls. He got them from "Barbecue to How About."

### MOMMA'S CORN CASSEROLE

5 12-ounce cans white shoepeg corn, drained  
1 4-ounce can chopped mild green chilies  
1 jalapeno, seeded and chopped fine

1 1/2 sticks butter  
3 tablespoons flour  
2 8-ounce packages cream cheese  
1 cup milk  
5 cups corn

Melt cream cheese and butter over hot water. Add milk, flour and salt. Combine all ingredients and pour into a 9-by-13 casserole. Bake at 350 until heated through. Serves 8.

**NOTE:** This may be made ahead and go directly from the refrigerator to the oven.

### GREEN RICE

4 cups cooked rice  
1 cup sour cream  
1 can mushroom soup  
1 7-ounce can chopped mild green chilies  
2 jalapenos, seeded and chopped fine

1 cup shredded Velveta cheese  
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese  
Mix cold rice with ingredients except cheddar. Pour into a 9-by-13 casserole and top with cheddar. Bake at 350 for 20 minutes, until hot and crusty. Serves 8.

**NOTE:** This can be made ahead and heated from the refrigerator to the oven.

### MARY LOU'S POTATO SALAD

8 russet potatoes, boiled, peeled and cut into cubes  
1 large onion, diced  
1/4 cup green bell pepper, diced  
1/4 cup red bell pepper, diced

Salad dressing to your desired consistency

Dill weed or paprika for garnish

Combine all ingredients in a bowl and refrigerate for at least an hour. Serves 12.

**NOTE:** You can add other junk like pickles and eggs, but this is the way we like ours.

### MUSTARD SLAW

5 cups shredded cabbage  
2 carrots, shredded  
1 large onion, minced  
6 tablespoons yellow mustard  
3 1/2 tablespoons white vinegar  
1 teaspoon salt  
2 teaspoons sugar

Combine all ingredients in a bowl and refrigerate at least one hour. Serves 8.

**NOTE:** This is great with all barbecue meals.

This casserole, from Tracey Emery of Twin Falls, originated with his aunt.

### CHICKEN ENCHILADA CASSEROLE

1 whole canned chicken (can use whole cooked chicken)

1 jar Pace Picante (heat to your liking - I use medium - wife can't handle hot)

1 pint sour cream

1 pound sharp cheddar cheese

2 cups shredded tortilla shells (could use corn, I suppose, but I've never tried it)

Bone chicken and place in large pot. Add all ingredients except for shells. Heat over medium until chicken is melted. In a large casserole dish, layer tortilla shells and cheese. (You can usually fit about four layers in the dish.) Make the final layer is the sauce, not the shells. Cook at 375 degrees until top golden brown and dish is bubbling all around, 45 to 50 minutes. Cool for 10 minutes. Enjoy! Serves 4-6.

**NOTE:** Requests for recipes & writers to share may be sent to Recipe Exchange, Denise Turner, The Times-News, P.O. Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Or fax us our fax at (208) 734-5538. Or use our web site - www.magicvalley.com - and click on Magic Valley Cookbook to follow the instructions. Please include

Woman cooks  
Southwestern  
in the wild

By Dixie Thomas Resse  
Times-News correspondent

**TWIN FALLS** - An avid camper and cook from childhood, Rebecca Beale grew up in an isolated little town in Northwestern New Mexico.

The town was surrounded by Indian reservations, with a trading post that filled the day-to-day food needs. But for a full grocery-shopping list, the Beale family traveled 50 miles to the nearest grocery store.

Beale's father, who was active in Boy Scouts, taught his daughter the joys of camping and camp cooking.

Three years ago, Beale and husband, Gary, moved with their seven children - ages 4 to 18 - from their small New Mexico town to the Magic Valley, where they had visited friends.

Beale enjoys cooking anything and everything, she said, particularly pastries. She said she would like to do more Southwestern cooking, but the ingredients found in the Magic Valley and in New Mexico aren't the same. So the results are not always predictable.

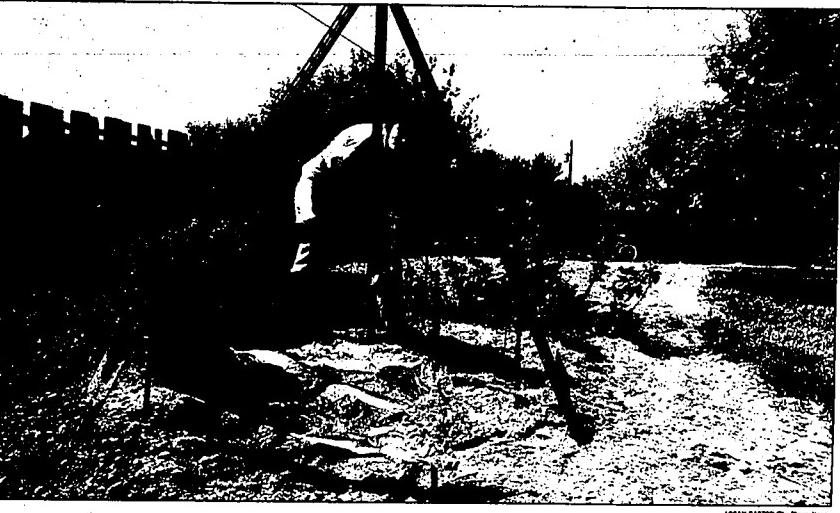
The Beale family does eat pinto beans, cornbread and tortillas at least once a month.

Beale cooks at a church camp at Alturas Lake during the summer, for 50 to 100 kids at a time. She always looks forward to camp, she said, even though the weather at Alturas Lake comes straight off a glacier.

She improvised a cooking apparatus for roughing it types of camping trips: Pound four stakes into the ground. Cover the ground between the stakes with large rocks. Surround the stakes with chicken wire. Put charcoal briquettes into the chicken wire basket. Build a tripod of wood or metal poles. Hang a chicken or turkey from the tripod and cook.

This works great and cooks very fast, Beale said.

Beale also said she is looking forward to the upcoming camping season, and she offers these camping recipes for others to try.



Rebecca Beale of Twin Falls uses this tripod oven - her own invention - to cook up tasty meals during camping trips.

### DUTCH OVEN PIZZA

Crust:

2 teaspoons dry yeast  
2 tablespoons sugar  
1 1/3 cup water  
1 1/2 cups flour  
1 1/2 teaspoon oil  
1 teaspoon salt  
2 cups flour  
Sauce:

6 ounces tomato sauce  
1/2 teaspoon crushed oregano leaves  
1/2 teaspoon crushed sweet basil

1/4 teaspoon garlic powder  
1/4 teaspoon onion salt  
1 teaspoon sugar

1 teaspoon salt

Toppings of your choice, such as sliced black olives, sliced mushrooms, chopped green chilies, 1/2 pound browned and drained hamburger or Italian sausage, 1 pound grated Mozzarella cheese.

For crust: Soften yeast in warm water and add sugar. Beat in the 1 1/2 cups flour. Blend in oil and salt. Add the 2 cups flour and knead till smooth. Place in a greased bowl and let rise till double, about 30 to 45 minutes. Place crust in bottom of a well-greased Dutch oven.

Dutch oven:

For sauce: combine all ingredients and mix well. Spread over the dough in Dutch oven to within 1/2 inch of the edges. Place covered Dutch oven on hot coals. Place a single layer of hot coals on lid of Dutch oven. Cook 20 to 25 minutes.

### EASY BUTTERMILKSTYLE PANCAKES

Aunt Jemima Complete pancake mix

Water

Squirt or 7-Up

Mix pancakes according to package directions, substituting Squirt or 7-Up for half the amount of water indicated. This makes the pancakes fluffy and tangy like buttermilk pancakes.

### NEW MEXICO STYLE CHICKEN

6 boneless, skinless chicken breasts

1/2 pound thin sliced Monterey Jack Cheese

Marinade:  
1 (16 ounce) jar salsa  
1 tablespoon oil

1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1/4 teaspoon garlic powder

Place chicken in a large Zip-lock bag. Combine marinade ingredients and pour over chicken. Seal bag and shake to coat chicken. Let set 20 minutes. (Can marinate in refrigerator for up to 24 hours.) Line bottom and sides of Dutch oven with foil. Spray with cooking spray. Place chicken in single layer in Dutch oven and pour marinade over top. Cover Dutch oven and place in hot coals. Cover with foil and turn every 10 minutes or until chicken is done. Remove Dutch oven from coals. Place sliced cheese over chicken breasts and cover. Let sit about 10 minutes or until cheese begins to melt.

## These treats will satisfy any snack attacks



Quick to fix when hunger hits are, clockwise from left, Herbed Cheese Spread, Cheesy Garden Fondue and Fast and Fabulous Pizza Snacks.

## Try these easy-eating tips for your next snack session

- Make South-of-the-Border Snacks by topping crackers with a splash of salsa, a dollop of sour cream and a jalapeno pepper slice.
- Indulge your peanut butter cravings with the PB Chipper. Simply spread peanut butter on crisp, buttery crackers and sprinkle with mini chocolate chips.
- For comfort food minutes, make Meatball Melts by slicing a bit of leftover meatball onto crackers, topping with cheese and microwaving until cheese is just melted; serve topped with ketchup and chopped pickle.

Melts made easy by placing plum tomato slices on crackers, then adding a spoonful of tuna salad and a piece of American cheese. Microwave briefly to melt cheese.

• Make Mini BLTs, top crackers with sliced lettuce, cherry tomatoes and crisp bacon.

• Everyone loves Tuna-Tomato

- Make Pimento-Garlic Spread by pureeing a 4-ounce jar pimientos, drained, with 1 clove garlic and 3 ounces butter. Spread on Italian bread slices, then toast or broil.

• Sprinkle tortilla chips with shredded cheese, sliced olives, jalapeno pepper slices and diced pimientos. Microwave or bake until cheese is just melted.

• Make Pimento-Garlic Spread by pureeing a 4-ounce jar pimientos, drained, with 1 clove garlic and 3 ounces butter. Spread on Italian bread slices, then toast or broil.

Microwave at HIGH (100% power) for 20 to 30 seconds or until cheese

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## FOOD &amp; HOME

# Planting up your containers? Don't get too deep

Now that spring seems to be here - well, most of the time, anyway - it's time to plant up some containers.

Large, elegant planters seem to be all the rage this year, but if you're going to live in them, it's going to take a little thought. Most plants die from improper watering and drainage problems. If we fill up a bathtub-sized planter with potting soil, what are the chances that the flowers will survive? Probably same as "slim" and "none."

We can improve the odds with a little trick I learned some time back. Figure that those annuals are probably only going to need about twice the depth of the nursery pot they're growing in now. That leaves a lot of space underneath.

Fill it with old pots.



**GREEN THUMPREINTS**  
Cathy Walworth

Sour the garage for all those pots you just couldn't throw away last year. Turn them upside-down. Stagger them, pyramid-style so they'll take up a lot of space. When the space on top is about as deep as you need for your flowers, lay two or three sheets of newspaper over the pots. That will make a floor for the potting soil and allow good drainage at the same time.

Fill the remaining space with potting soil and plant your flowers as usual. The roots will have good air and water circulation and the wet/dry cycle they need to thrive. Remember to use a water-soluble fertilizer every time you water container plants.

**DEAR CATHY:** I enjoy your column. I am writing to see if you have heard of a flower seed called "Sun Dahlia." My mother was given some seeds several years ago and is unable to locate any more seeds. I was wondering if you could help us?

-SEEDLESS

**DEAR SEEDLESS:** I've never heard of such a flower, so I'm no help.

Readers? Can you help this nice garden-er?

Thanks, Cathy

**TIP OF THE WEEK:** If you plan to grow peppers and tomatoes in this year's vegetable garden, you must face the possibility that you'll likely be sharing them with hornworms. There are a couple of ways you could do to rid your garden of this unwanted pest. You could use BT (Bacillus thuringiensis), it's completely harmless unless you're a larva of some kind.

Or, you could wait to see if Mother Nature might step in. If she smiles upon your garden, you'll see little white egg pouches on the backs of some worms. If you leave them alone, baby parasitic

worms will soon hatch and eat their hosts. Or, you could plant a decoy. The most reliable way to deal with hornworms is to pick them off and destroy them. Plant some dill, which they might like even better than tomatoes and peppers. They'll soon go right over to dill plants, which is nice because they're much easier to see on dill than tomatoes or peppers. You come along with a bucket of soapy water, pluck them off and drop them in. Your tomatoes and peppers are safe for another day.

**What's bugging your garden? Write to Cathy in care of Tidbit Communications, 3262 E., 3210 N., Twin Falls, ID 83301, or e-mail: cawto@cyberhighway.net**

## Make outdoor entertaining as cheerful as summer itself

**Q: What are some ideas for casual outdoor entertaining?**

**A:** Outdoor entertaining should be as carefree as summer itself, so here are some easy ideas to make casual gatherings fun and festive this season.

**A CHEERFUL TABLE**

With just a little stitching, ordinary bandanas can be quickly transformed into a tablecloth and cushion for chairs or picnic-table benches.

To make a tablecloth, you'll need six bandanas (or more for a larger cloth). Pin two bandanas with right sides facing and stitch together along one long side, 1/2 inch from edge. Attach the third panel to the other two the same way.

For a cushioned bandana chair-cushion, you'll need a cushion insert (available at sewing stores) and two bandanas at least 4 inches larger than the insert. Trim one bandana to the size of the insert plus 1/2 inch on each side; this will



**ASK MARTHA**  
Martha Stewart

panel. Pin two panels with right sides facing and stitch together along one long side, 1/2 inch from edge. Attach the third panel to the other two the same way.

For a coordinating bandana chair-cushion, you'll need a cushion insert (available at sewing stores) and two bandanas at least 4 inches larger than the insert. Trim one bandana to the size of the insert plus 1/2 inch on each side; this will

be the top. Trim the second bandana to the same dimensions, but add 3 inches to the length; this will be the bottom. Cut the bandana in half widthwise; hem these two cut edges 1/2 inch each. Pin the top and bottom pieces together with right sides facing and perimeter edges flush; the two halves of the bottom bandanna will overlap in the middle, forming an opening for the cushion. Stitch around the perimeter of the cover 1/2 inch from edge. Snip corners. Turn right side out, and insert cushion if you wish to cushion the cushion to a chair more securely, select pairs of matching ribbons to make ties. Before stitching the top and bottom bandannas together, fold each ribbon in half, and position the fold

between the top and bottom bandannas in two adjacent corners. The fold should be flush with the perimeter and the loose ends of the ribbon pointed inward, sandwiched between the bandannas. Sew bandannas together and insert pillow as above.

**FLOWERS**

A watering can makes a fitting vessel for an arrangement of cut flowers. Or use planted pots of fresh herbs for a delightful, fragrant centerpiece.

**EASY DESSERTS**

For an attractive, informal presentation, remove pint-sized container of ice cream from freezer and let sit for 1 minute. Carefully slide a spatula or knife between ice cream and contain-

er, all the way around. Hold a dish face down on top of container, invert both and ease container off. Top the frosty tower with berries, mint or other in-season garnish.

Cakes in a pretty compote are delicious and lovely to look at, but they can wilt on warmer days. To prevent this, rinse grapes, pat dry and freeze for two hours. Whether served immediately or defrosted a bit, they'll be a refreshing, tangy treat.

Strawberries filled with cream cheese are like bites of strawberry cheesecake. Whip .6 ounces of reduced-fat cream cheese and 1/2 cup strawberries until cream cheese is briny. Top with a few mint leaves, and garnish with a 350-degree F oven.

spoons confectioners' sugar. Trim bottoms of 12 large strawberries, so each stands upright. Use a melon baller to scoop out stems and tops. Fill a pastry bag fitted with 1/2-inch star tip with cream cheese; pipe into strawberries until cream cheese is briny. Top with a few mint leaves, and garnish with a 350-degree F oven.

**Questions should be addressed to Martha Stewart, care of The New York Times Syndication Sales Corp., 122 E. 42nd St., New York, N.Y. 10168. Or visit The Times-News Online's Neighbors page to contact Martha Stewart by e-mail. "Martha Stewart Living" is on KSAW-TV at 9 a.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. Sunday.**

## Sweeten your summer with tomatoes

By Kathy Van Mullekom  
Daily Press

Some say toMAYtoes, some say toMAHtoes. However you say it, they are good eating, says Vera Geddes, a Virginia Beach, Va., master gardener with 5,000 volunteer hours and a tomato-growing guru.

"I think Mother Nature likes the best," says Geddes. "Tomatoes are the No. 1 garden plant."

Tomatoes can be stubborn to grow, says Geddes. They are prone to a lot of soil-borne and airborne diseases, so you need to get them off to a good start. Whether you are starting from seed or buying cell packs, purchase a tomato with a lot of resistance. Look for varieties having VFN and TMV on the package or

**Get those tomatoes growing up right**

• Tomato seeds can be stored for up to five years in an airtight container in the refrigerator vegetable bin.

• Most complete tomato-seed catalog: Total Tomatoes, P.O. Box 1926, Augusta, Ga. 30903; (800) 432-0016; <http://www.totaltomatoes.com>.

• You can grow tomatoes in tubs or large patio containers. Select a determinate or compact bush plant habit for container culture. Cherry tomatoes can be grown in containers, too. The container needs to be

labeled; you may see VFNT.

Prepare your soil by mixing in your compost or purchased compost, add lime to prevent blossom-end rot (1/4 cup per plant), 2 tablespoons of Epsom salts to aid in fruit development, and 2 table-

spoons of fertilizer. Mix all into the soil four to five days before planting. This is a good time to "harden off" your plants.

The cell-pack plants are grown in a greenhouse, so they need to adjust to the outdoors. Start by putting the plants outside for an hour the first day, two hours the second, three hours the third and so on for a week. Don't rush the season. Although plants can be in the garden centers since mid-March - when the soil is still too cold - it's not too late to plant them. The best time to plant tomatoes is between April 15 and mid to late May, depending on when the soil warms in your garden.

Tomatoes need a minimum of eight hours of sunlight to grow properly and 2 inches of water per week after the temperatures reach the 50s.

There are hundreds of varieties. For slicing and dicing varieties, try Early Girl, Better Boy, Big Beef, Celebrity and Park's Whopper; Italian or paste types that also do well are Viva Italia and Roma.

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make. Serve immediately.

Conventional Directions: Prepare as above on an overproof plate or 9x13-inch plate. Bake at 350 F for 10 minutes or until hot and cheese melts.

**PEPPERNONI, PIMENTO AND PESTO SPREAD**

Makes about 1 3/4 cups  
1 (8-ounce) package cream cheese, softened

1/4 cup mayonnaise  
1/4 cup prepared pesto

1/4 cup chopped Hormel Pepperoni, divided

Diced Pimientos, drained, divided

1/2 cup diced Hormel Pepperoni, divided

1/2 cup shredded cheddar cheese

1/2 cup dairy sour cream

1 (4-ounce) jar Dromedary Diced Pimientos, drained, divided

1/2 cup diced Hormel Pepperoni, divided

1/2 cup shredded cheddar cheese

Ritz Crackers

Combine cheeses, sour cream and 1/4 cup each pimientos and pepperoni in food processor or blender; process until well blended.

Stir in chives and remaining pimientos and pepperoni.

pimientos. Cover; refrigerate 2 hours or until chilled. Serve as a spread on crackers.

**PEPPRONI AND PIMENTO CROSTINI**

Makes 4 dozen crostini  
1 cup shredded Parmesan cheese (not grated)

1 (4-ounce) jar Dromedary Diced Pimientos, drained  
1/2 cup diced Hormel Pepperoni

1/3 cup mayonnaise

3 green onions, sliced

1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves

48 Ritz Crackers

Stir together cheeses, pimientos, pepperoni, mayonnaise, green onions and basil until well blended.

Spread on crackers; serve immediately or microwave for 5 to 10 seconds, until hot.

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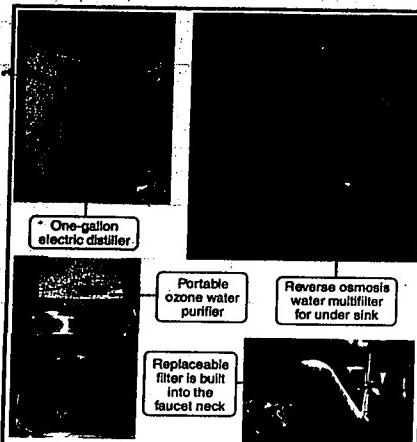
## Purifiers improve taste, filter contaminants

**DEAR JIM:** Our neighbor has a kitchen water filter and her water tastes better. I wonder what else is in our water that might harm my children. What types of water are best for flavor and safety? —ANN T.

**DEAR ANN:** Even if your water is from a public supply, it may still contain harmful contaminants. By the time water gets to your house, the chlorine level has often dropped and it may have gotten reinfected along the way.

Although there are many types of water filters, the basic ones are distillation, reverse osmosis (RO), ozone, ultraviolet light (UV), and carbon. Each type has its advantages for various water problems. Countertop distillers are effective for most common water problems. Since the water boils when being distilled, it is also disinfected. Once the gallon jug is filled, you slip it out and store it in your refrigerator.

I have used a small distiller with a carbon pre-filter that I've found are that it takes about two hours and it uses about 25 cents worth of electricity to produce one gallon of pure water. RO systems are also effective for most common drinking water problems and they produce filtered water as you use the water. These use an RO membrane



Many types of effective water purifier/filters

that acts like a super-sieve to filter out almost everything. Most units also have pre- and post-cartridge to remove chemicals.

Ozone gas purifiers are extremely effective and leave no residual chemicals in the water. Many municipal water plants now treat the water with ozone. In addition to killing all bacteria, cysts, and virus, it improves the taste. UV purifiers pass the water through an intense light beam inside the unit.

Small portable ozone purifiers are also ideal for camping or during emergencies. Hang the tube and bubbler stone into a jug of water and switch it on. Another good use is to purify and clean fresh fruits and vegetables. Fill your sink with water. Place the food and bubbler stone in for a few minutes.

Carbon filters improve flavor and remove some chemicals. To filter out impurities, a solid carbon block is better than a granular carbon filter. Granular ones

are often used as post-filters for other types of filters.

Some newer kitchen faucets have a carbon filter element built into the neck. So that you remember to replace the element, they have reminder lights. Consider a mini-RO unit (quick-disconnect aerator for use on most faucets).

If you are a biker or runner, there are now special filtering water bottles to remove impurities, cysts, bad flavor, etc. They filter water as you drink it.

Write for Update Bulletin No. 415 — buyer's guide of 15 water purifier/filter manufacturers, filtration types, styles, features, prices, illustrations and recommended filter selector charts for hazardous contaminants. Please include \$3 and a business-size SASE. Write to James Dulley, 65905 Royalgreen Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45244.

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# Multilevel Covington offers two fronts

Originally designed for construction on a canal, the Covington is a multilevel home with two fronts: a street front and a canal-front. Fortunately, a canal-side lot isn't required. The plan's focus on exterior vistas will heighten appreciation of any outdoor environment.

The main floor is a half-flight up from the three-car garage. Another set of steps climbs to a master suite, the only bedroom. Up higher still, the unique Captain's Quarters sits like a crown above it all. Two cozy dormers there offer views to the rear, while a bayed observatory looks out over the street and to the right.

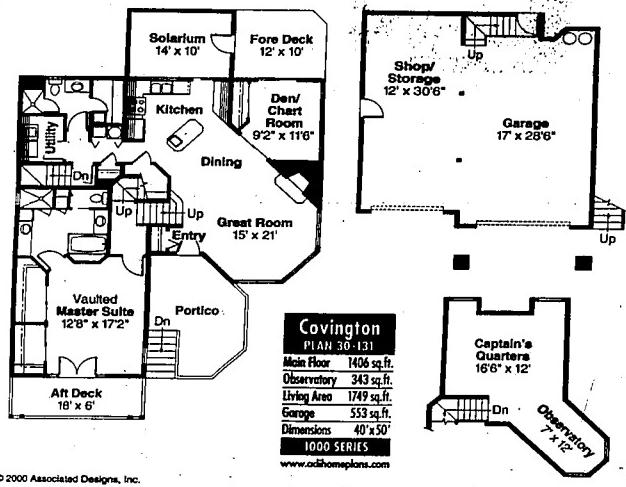
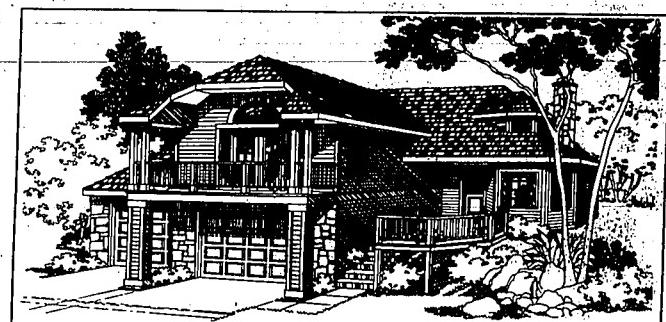
On the main floor, the great room is wide and bright, with extending from the bay-windward front to window-bright kitchen, with plenty of space for a large dining table in between.

Off to the right is another naturally bright space, called the Chart Room. If you don't happen to need a whole room for maps, it can be furnished in countless other ways. But those who use it better have plenty of light because sunlight filters through windows on two sides, as well as a set of skylights. Wide sliders provide direct access to the Fore Deck.

Notable features in the kitchen include: a step-in pantry, work island with veggie sink, and a built-in desk with shelves above. Utilities, a small bathroom and a sauna are nearby. Standing at the main sink, you face into a solarium, glassed top and sides.

The Covington's vaulted master suite is a true gem. It boasts two walk-in closets plus a skylit bathroom with two basins, spa tub and oversized shower. Double doors open onto a private deck.

For a review plan, including scaled floor plans, elevations, section and artist's conception, send \$20 to Associated Designs, 1100 Jacobs Drive, Department W, Eugene, Ore. 97402. Please specify the Covington 30-131 and include a return address when ordering. A catalog featuring 300 home plans is available for \$12. For more information call (800) 634-0123.



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## Got too much stuff? Shed takes care of overflow

By Jim Quinn  
Knight Ridder News Service

Americans are looking for storage space, and increasingly they are finding it in their back yards, where outdoor sheds are providing relief for the storage impaired. Manufacturers of sheds made from steel, wood and vinyl all say their business is growing.

If you're thinking of a storage shed, you'll want to make a few choices. How big a building do you need? Are you going to build it yourself from a kit, build from scratch or hire a contractor? What kind of zoning rules does your community have governing outbuildings? Do you want steel, wood or vinyl?

Historically, wood has been the first choice for storage sheds. Kelly Dather is vice president of Heartland Corp., the nation's largest maker of contractor-assembled storage sheds. Dather said Heartland's sheds are framed with 2-by-4-inch lumber, with plywood floors and oriented strand wood panel walls.

Wood is in the middle of the material price range; steel is cheaper, vinyl is more expensive.

A disadvantage of wood sheds is that they need paint and wood shingles. But homeowners can select paint and shingles that match their house. Dather said most consumers select barns ranging in size from 8 by 10 feet to 10 by 12 feet.

"After a couple of years, they

usually tell us that they wish they'd gotten a bigger one," Dather said.

At Heartland, finished 8-by-10-foot sheds start at \$919, with 10-by-12 sheds starting at \$1,334. You could buy a larger, two-story, 16-by-24-foot barn for \$5,285, but big outbuildings like that are usually forbidden in residential neighborhoods.

If you want something cheaper, you can buy a do-it-yourself kit. Melanie Walpole, of Lowe's hardware store in North Canton, Ohio, said all the parts are pre-cut to the proper size, meaning customers just assemble the pieces with nuts and screws.

A typical 8-by-10-foot shed sells for about \$500; add another \$150 for a kit with parts for a wooden floor and foundation, plus about \$20 for roofing shingles (preferably in the same color as your home).

An even cheaper option would be to purchase a shed of sheet steel. An entry-level 8-by-10-foot shed would cost about \$200; add \$150 for the floor kit.

This year, Walpole's customers

are gravitating toward a new type of all-vinyl building. The 8-by-10-foot version costs \$800 without a floor, but they can be assembled very quickly. The sheds are manufactured by Royal Outdoor Products.

If this all sounds too easy, there is an alternative for folks who aren't afraid of dust and power tools.

Monte Burch is the author of more than 40 books, including the classic "Building Small Barns, Sheds and Shelters" and the follow-up "How To Build Small Barns and Outbuildings."

His books give step-by-step instructions, and he said that building from scratch costs about half as much as hiring contractors.

## Dylan goes Brentwood

By Ruth Ryon  
Los Angeles Times

LOS ANGELES - Jakob Dylan, lead singer and guitarist with the rock band the Wallflowers, has purchased a Brentwood home. The asking price was about \$3.2 million.

Dylan, 30, is the youngest of legendary rock star Bob Dylan's five children.

The Wallflowers made its debut album in 1992 but had a mega-hit with its '96 album, "Bringing Down the Horse." The band dominated the rock category at the '98 Grammy Awards, winning awards for best rock performance and best rock song for "One Headlight."

The Brentwood home, described as a "World Spanish style," was built in 1936, and it has five bedrooms in about 4,000 square feet plus a pool.

Emilio Estevez, director and co-star with his brother Charlie Sheen of the Showtime movie "Rated X," has purchased a newly built home on slightly

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- Handy Home Products, makers of wood shed kits. 1-800-221-1849 or <http://www.handyhome.com/>
- Heartland Industries, makers of contractor-assembled sheds. 1-800-886-5509 or <http://www.heartland.com/>
- Royal Outdoor Products, makers of vinyl shed kits. 1-800-949-7410 or <http://www.royaloutdoor.com/>

more than an acre in Malibu for about \$2 million. Estevez also just sold his former oceanfront home nearby for about \$3 million.

"Rated X" is based on the true story of brothers Jim and Arrie Mitchell, who became porn kings and destroyed themselves in the process.

Estevez, who turned 38 last week, was part of the '80s Brat Pack, a group of young Hollywood stars. His father is actor Martin Sheen, who plays the president of the United States in the TV series "The West Wing." Estevez has previously starred in such movies as "Young Guns" and "The Mighty Ducks."

Estevez's new home is Spanish in style and has four bedrooms, a breakfast room, a guest house, a courtyard, a patio with a fountain and barbecue; a pool, spa and gardens. The gated home, described as having Old World charm, also has a brick drive.

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## Kids lack housekeeping skills

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### Home and garden

Lost at home. Most children are no longer being taught how to cook, clean or sew—which less organized and run-down households, Good Housekeeping magazine reports. The magazine says that when one teenage baby-sitter was asked to turn on the dishwasher, the girl asked: "How do you do that?"

Moving up to the big city, New York, N.Y. — If you can't make the migration to your city, you can make them anywhere. In a Worth magazine survey of the 50 city neighborhoods with the highest median price of homes sold in 1998 and 1999, New York's Upper East Side and Central Park West (with median home prices of about \$2.3 million) finished first and second.

Home alone: The housing situations of the Baby Boomers are going to be undergoing big changes. By some estimates, 30 percent of the nation's Baby Boomers are—or are about to become—empty nesters this year, American Demographics magazine says.

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## FOOD &amp; HOME

# Don't like that old paneling? Cover it with paint or wallpaper

**QUESTION:** Some rooms of my home have prefinished paneling on the walls. The panels have the typical vertical grooves I'd like to repeat. The paneling can I fill the grooves with spackling compound before painting to eliminate the paneling look?

**ANSWER:** Paneling can be attractively painted, but I strongly recommend that you do not fill the grooves first. No matter how carefully the spackling is done, you will almost certainly get a striped effect when you paint because of the difference in texture between the spackling compound and the panel surfaces.

Simply painting the paneling will make the grooves much less conspicuous because they will be the same color as the rest of the panels.

Start by checking the paneling to make sure it is firmly attached. Remove any loose places. Then clean the paneling with mineral spirits (paint thinner) or an ammoniated detergent, which will remove wax, polish and dirt. Mineral spirits are flammable, so ventilate the room well, and avoid flames and sparks if you use them. After washing, rinse by sponging with clean water.

Choose one of two methods for paneling. Sand with 100-grit sandpaper to remove the gloss and provide a "tooth" for the new paint, or prime with a glossy-surface primer such as Bulls Eye 1-2-3, which is sold as many paint stores and home centers. Sanding is hard work and makes a lot of mess, so I recommend priming.

Finally, apply one or two coats of a clear lacquer wall paint.

The paneling could also be wallpapered instead, which would eliminate the grooved appearance. Tighten and clean the surface as described above, then cover the paneling with a heavy-duty liner or backing paper. Both are sold at wallpaper stores. Liners are generally made of canvas, polyester or fiberglass. After the liner dries, apply regular wallpaper in the usual way.

**QUESTION:** We have a lot of mailbox vandalism in my area, where the mailboxes are situated along a road, and I want to take



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some protective measures. Where can I get a mailbox that will lock after the mail is inserted?

**ANSWER:** Locking mailboxes of the type you want are available from Jandmar International, at 800-298-7703 or <http://www.jandmar.com/>

They are also described as baseball-bat-proof. These boxes are made of heavy steel, and mount on a standard mailbox post (a special steel post is also available). Jandmar boxes are rather expensive: \$260 is the regular price for a standard-size box.

Another type of locking mailbox is available from Improvements, at 800-642-2112 or <http://www.improvementscatalog.com/>

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**QUESTION:** Every time it rains, my driveway, which is flanked by grass on each side, is invaded by hundreds of earthworms. How can I keep them off?

**ANSWER:** A curb on each side of the driveway might do the trick. You can construct a simple and long-lasting curb by laying pressure-treated 4-by-4 timbers end to end. Pin the timbers to the ground with two-foot lengths of electrical conduit, inserted through holes drilled in the timbers.

**QUESTION:** We want to repaint our cast-iron radiators. What is the best way to remove the existing paint? There are several layers of paint, and it is chipped.

**ANSWER:** If there is a paint-

stripping service in your area, the best method is to disconnect the radiators and have them professionally stripped. Wait till warm weather to disconnect radiators, of course.

Unfortunately, paint-stripping services are difficult to find, so many radiator owners use sandblasting to remove old paint. Again, the radiators should be disconnected and taken outside. Sandblasting equipment can be rented at some tool-rental agencies. A downside to this method is that some of the detailing might be damaged on very ornate radiators.

If neither of these methods is appealing, the old paint can be taken off with a paste-type paint remover and a lot of scraping and wire brushing. This also works best if the radiators are disconnected and taken outside. Be sure to follow all cautions on the paint-remover container.

Metallic paints, especially aluminum paint, are popular for finishing radiators because of their heat resistance. However, almost any high-quality enamel or trim paint will work well. If a non-metallic paint is used, prime the radiators first with a rust-resistant primer.

**Readers' questions and comments are welcome and should be sent to Gene Austin, The Idaho Inquirer, Box 861, Blue Bell, Ft. 19322. Questions cannot be answered personally.**

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# 'Spinning Bowl Salad' entertains patrons

By Ellen Hawks  
The Times-News Staff

Diane Van Bleekum of Johnston, Pa., requested a recipe for a Spinning Bowl Salad. "It was a featured item at the Twentieth Century Restaurant in Youngstown, Ohio, which closed about 10 years ago," she wrote. "I'm hoping someone has the recipe, which was fabulous."

From Andrew Peldkamp of Jerome, "I have the recipe and a touch of its history."

Peldkamp wrote, "Actually, this recipe was a longtime trademark of the Blackhawk restaurant in Chicago, and they still make it today at their restaurant in Wheeling, Ill. It has a long

speech that goes with it about the number of ingredients, and from Milwaukee, while the writer makes it up as you taste. The best part of this salad dressing was hearing the speech that went with it. We went so often that our children could repeat it along with the waiters."

**SPINNING BOWL SALAD**  
 1 (3-ounce) soft cream cheese  
 3 ounces crumbled blue cheese  
 5/8 cup tablespoons water  
 1 egg  
 1 tablespoon plus 1 1/2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice  
 1 cup vegetable oil  
 2 tablespoons mayonnaise  
 1/4 cup red-wine vinegar  
 1 tablespoon sugar

2 tablespoons chopped chives  
 1 1/2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce  
 1/4 teaspoon salt  
 3/4 teaspoon paprika  
 1/2 clove garlic  
 1 1/4 teaspoons white pepper  
 1/4 teaspoon hot mustard  
 8 cups torn salad greens  
 1 chopped hard-boiled egg  
 Seasoned salt, to taste  
 Black pepper, to taste

Beat cream cheese and blue cheese in a small bowl until smooth. Beat in water, 1 tablespoon at a time, until the mixture is smooth. Set aside.  
 Combine lemon juice and 1/4 cup oil in a blender and mix on medium speed 15 seconds. Increase speed to high and add

remaining oil in a slow, steady stream, stopping occasionally to scrape down the sides of the container. Add mayonnaise, vinegar, sugar, chives, Worcestershire, salt, paprika, garlic, white pepper and mustard and blend until smooth.

Combine salad greens in a large bowl with enough dressing to coat. Sprinkle with chopped egg and seasoned salt and pepper and toss gently. Add 2/3 tablespoon cheese mixture and toss again. Only toss three times (no more).

Remaining dressing and cheese mixture can be covered and kept in the refrigerator for up to two weeks. Makes 1 1/2 cups of dressing.

## Recipe doctor enhances blueberry pancakes

By Elaine Magee  
Kraft Kidder News Service

**QUESTION:** Dear Recipe Doctor: My brother says these are the best blueberry pancakes. He thinks it's a Martha Stewart recipe. It looks pretty low in fat already but is there anything you would like to do to it?

**ANSWER:** Messing with a Martha Stewart recipe? Some people would call that "tampering." Taking a look at the recipe, the first thing I wanted to do was cut the recipe in half to make 12 pancakes instead of 24. Then I doubled the blueberries. Not only does this double all those wonderful phytochemicals in blueberries but it raises the fiber a pinch and makes the blueberry flavor and color stand out better.

These pancakes were very good.

Just the right amount of fluffiness, just the right amount of sweetness

and tartness. Yum Yum.

### BLUEBERRY BUTTERMILK PANCAKES

Makes 4 servings (3 pancakes each)

1 cup flour  
 1/2 teaspoon baking powder  
 1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
 1/4 teaspoon salt  
 1 tablespoon sugar  
 1 large lightly beaten egg  
 1 1/4 cups buttermilk  
 1 tablespoon unsalted butter, melted (canola margarine can also be used)  
 1 tablespoon maple syrup  
 1 teaspoon vanilla extract  
 1 cup fresh or frozen blueberries

Pur flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and sugar in mixing bowl. Beat on low to blend ingredients well. Add egg, buttermilk, melted butter,

maple syrup and vanilla extract to mixing bowl and beat on low to blend (there will still be some small lumps). Let batter rest 10-20 minutes. Fold in blueberries. Heat a skillet to about 350-degrees (if using a frying pan over a stove, turn heat to medium-low). Once a water droplet bounces around on it, your pan is ready. Pour batter by 1/4 cupfuls on skillet coated with canola cooking spray if desired. When bubbles form on top, check bottom to see if lightly browned, then flip pancakes over to cook other side. Repeat step 5 until all the batter is used.

Per serving: 260 calories, 8 g protein, 45.5 g carbohydrate, 5.5 g fat, 2.8 g saturated fat, 64 mg cholesterol, 2 grams fiber, 557 mg sodium. Calories from fat: 19 percent.

## Unusual ingredients add zest to many dishes

Wednesday

flavor than sugar, and helps put a zing on whatever we grill.

But Sanger No. 1 secret ingredient is chipotle chiles, which he uses "in just about everything."

This dressing tops the Caesar salad at the Turtle Crossing restaurant in East Hampton, N.Y., but it also makes a fine sauce for grilled chicken.

### TURTLE CROSSING'S CAESAR SALAD DRESSING

1/2 teaspoon ground cumin  
 1 tablespoon toasted garlic  
 2 tablespoons puréed canned chipotles

6 anchovies  
 2 teaspoons balsamic vinegar  
 2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice

4 teaspoons Dijon mustard  
 4 teaspoons mayonnaise  
 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese

1/4 cup olive oil  
 Salt and pepper to taste

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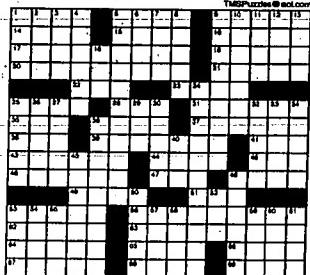
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Dig deep for information. Face the music early. Focus on responsibility, production, priorities, greater degree of financial security.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Get basic issues out of way early. Later you could travel to distant city or perhaps another country. People are drawn to you with their problems, some quiet intimate.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Let go of preconceived notions. Emphasize personal, positive spirit. A different kind of love is on horizon. Individual who was cool will now warm up to you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Spotlight on real estate, sale or purchase of property. If single, you could encounter future mate. If married, spark rekindled.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Diversity, maintain emotional equilibrium. Humor plays key roles, laugh at your own foibles. Invitation received to prestigious social affair. Sagittarius involved.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Work you did on unique project holds up; you'll receive proper credit.

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involved. Be specific; do proofreading, basic research.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Change of pace will be welcomed. People ask you questions concerning historical facts. You'll say to yourself, "I might as well be on a quiz program." Write.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your innermost feelings surface. Individual you trust seeks your opinions concerning art, music. Interest in astrology is enhanced.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Be realistic concerning places, people. It might be nice to protect others, but also promote your own cause. Some people feel they can defend you with impunity.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Haider you are, luck you'll get. Focus on priorities, promotion, production, intensified relationship. Elevation of salary highlighted. Capricorn in picture.

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## Refugee honors American, Vietnamese mom

DEAR ABBY: Mother's Day always brings back memories of an incident that happened three years ago.

For the past several years, after attending church on Sunday, my wife and I have stopped for lunch at a Chinese restaurant. We have become acquainted with a young man who works there. He escaped from Vietnam with his family in a rickety old boat when he was very small.

Our daughter, who lives in Dallas, had sent my wife a beautiful Mother's Day corsage to wear to church as an expression of her love. The young waiter exclaimed how beautiful the flower was, and asked if it was for a special occasion.

We explained that in the United States, on this particular day children often send their mothers flowers as a token of



DEAR  
ABBY  
Abigail VanBuren

appreciation, honoring their motherhood. The young man said they did not have this custom in Vietnam, but that he thought it was appropriate.

He left our table, then returned a few minutes later, then hesitantly said, "I think this tradition of honoring your mother on a special day is wonderful. Please allow me to pay for your meal today in honor of my mother, who suffered so many hardships in our small boat when we escaped from our homeland to

the Internment camp in Singapore."

My wife and I sat in silence for a few moments. Then, with tears in her eyes, my wife told him we would be honored to accept his gracious offer.

Now on the day set aside to honor mothers, we cherish not only the memory of our own mothers, but also the memory of this remarkable Vietnamese mother we have never met.

-JIM ISABELL,

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

phone calls. I would like to share some of my experiences, as well.

Several years ago, I had a call from someone who had heard disgusting things over the phone. When I refused to answer, my machine picked up the call, and he continued the obscenities. Finally, I asked him if he knew who I was. He replied, "No." I then informed him that I was the woman he had been calling all morning, that his just a number was on my bill, and if he called one more time, I would have him arrested. He never called back.

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DEAR FREE: Three cheers for star-69 which is a telephone company add-on feature that allows you to dial your last caller. You're a quick thinker.

## Cows don't like spinach

Cows hate spinach.

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Vikings eat oatmeal. Mush. Don't know about cookies.

People who don't play bridge can't grasp its drawing power, I suspect. Chicago once, 26,000 people showed up to watch a bridge tournament.

Mississippi long ago outlawed the sale of cotton at night.

The Inca dictatorships was benevolent, historians say. Nobody went without food or clothing.

You may recall the previously quoted quote and Washington's of yesterday was journalist named Helen Rowland. It was she who said, "France may claim the happiest marriages in the world, but the happiest divorces in America's."

That state with the most church in proportion to population is Mississippi.

Early Shakers baked their

bread in square loaves, not oblong. And they made a point, too, of cutting their meat into squares.

A husband and wife may keep secrets from each other without hurting their marriage - so long as the secrets are of the innocent variety. Such is the standard opinion of the matrimonial counselors. But the marriage is seriously threatened, they say, when partners build up guilty secrets they can't discuss with each other.

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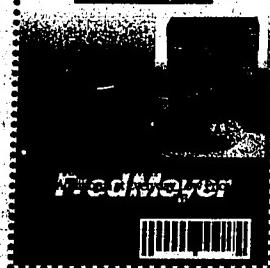
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## Salmon, rice, asparagus and sesame dressing add up to fast, low-fat meal

By Charlotte Balcomb Lane  
Knight-Ridder/Tribune News Service

Asian-Style Salmon Dinner is a fast, reliable recipe for those days when you just don't have time to plan dinner but still want to eat healthy. Doing one fast sweep through the supermarket, you can pick up all the ingredients you need to prepare this delicious, low-fat dinner.

Salmon is readily available in supermarkets throughout the United States and asparagus is available most of the spring and into early summer. Simply

mimic them in a fat-free sesame ginger salad dressing, add rice, and you have the makings of a superb Asian flavored meal. Shop for the sesame ginger salad dressing in the produce section of the supermarket.

## ASIAN-STYLE SALMON DINNER

1 pound salmon fillet, with skin on  
1/4 cup fat-free sesame ginger salad dressing  
1 teaspoon sesame seeds, toasted, and divided (see Note)  
1 cup uncooked, long-grain rice  
3/4 teaspoon salt

1 (14-ounce) can fat-free, low-sodium chicken broth  
1 pound asparagus, trimmed  
2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice  
2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley or other herb

Place the salmon in a glass or ceramic dish and pour the sesame salad dressing on top. Marinate the fish for 30 to 40 minutes. Remove the fish and add the asparagus. While the fish is marinating, bring the chicken broth to a boil. Stir in the rice and salt and return to a boil. Stir, cover tightly and reduce heat to low. Cook 15

minutes. Cover and remove from heat to "steam" for another 15 to 20 minutes. Heat a barbecue grill and cook the rice, skin side down, for 20 minutes or until the flesh is firm to the touch. During the last 7 to 10 minutes of the cooking time for the fish, place the asparagus on the grill. Cook until crisp-tender. Remove from grill and keep warm. Discard remaining marinade.

To serve, spoon 1/2 teaspoon of the toasted sesame seeds over the salmon. Then squeeze the fresh lemon juice on top. Stir the remaining 1/2 teaspoon of sesame seeds into the rice. Add the parsley to the

rice and toss to combine. Serve the salmon with the rice and asparagus. Serves 5.

Note: To toast sesame seeds, place them in a small skillet and cook over medium-high heat. Watch carefully to prevent burning. Stir once or twice, and toast until seeds are golden brown.

Nutritional information per serving: Calories: 375; fat: 12 grams (29 percent of calories from fat); protein: 27 grams; carbohydrate: 39 grams; dietary fiber: 1.9 grams; cholesterol: 58 milligrams; sodium: 766 milligrams.

## Mayo makes french fry alternative

By Linda Cicero  
The Miami Herald

**QUESTION:** Have you heard of making french fries by baking them in mayonnaise? My sister-in-law does this instead of deep-frying but when I asked her for a recipe she says there is no recipe, you just do it.

—COLLEEN S., WHITTIER, CALIF.

**ANSWER:** I found this recipe in the Hellmann's Mayonnaise "1001 Ways to Bring Out the Best," published in 1987. This does produce a french-fry-like product without deep frying, but it is an awful lot of trouble cutting those potatoes into sticks! The one real plus is that if you make this with light or cholesterol-free mayonnaise, you can make a fry substitute with a lot fewer calories. I used a Cajun seasoning blend rather than plain salt to make these more interesting.

SUN VALLEY POTATO FRIES  
2 large baking potatoes  
1/2 cup real, light or cholesterol-free reduced calorie mayonnaise

Cut potatoes into 1/4-inch wide sticks. Spread the mayonnaise into a large plastic food bag. Add the potatoes and shake the bag well. Arrange in single layers in a jelly roll pan so the potatoes do not touch. Sprinkle with salt to taste. Bake in 400-degree oven, turning once with a spatula, for about 20 minutes or until golden brown and crisp. Makes 6 servings.

**QUESTION:** Sometime in the early '80s, I clipped a recipe from a magazine for these coconut macaroon cookies ever. I gave the recipe to someone who asked for it because I was sure I'd always remember how to make it, but now I'm at a loss. Can anyone help?

—M.S.P., PLANTATION

**ANSWER:** I not only have the recipe you remember, I have five variations. It's from a 1992 booklet titled "Eagle Brand & Hershey's Dessert Collection." Two tips: Use margarine or shortening to generously grease the foil — I used vegetable oil spray with a batch and they stuck tenaciously to the foil — and remove the cookies immediately from the foil when you take them from the oven or they will stick. The reduced fat version of sweetened condensed milk works just as well. Here are the variations:

Macaroon Kisses: Press an unwrapped chocolate kiss into the center of each macaroon immediately after baking.

Chocolate: Omit the almond extract and add 4 ounces melted, unsweetened baking chocolate to the batter.

Chocolate Chip: Omit the almond extract and add 1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips.

Cherry Nut: Omit the almond extract and add 1 cup chopped nuts and 2 tablespoons maraschino cherry syrup. Press a maraschino cherry half into center of each macaroon before baking.

Rum Raisin: Omit the almond extract; add 1 cup raisins and 1 teaspoon rum flavoring.

EASY COCONUT MACAROONS  
14 ounces flaked coconut (5 1/3 cups)

14-ounces can sweetened condensed milk  
2 teaspoons vanilla extract

1 1/2 teaspoons almond extract  
Preheat oven to 350 degrees. In a large bowl, combine the coconut, condensed milk and extract. Drop by rounded teaspoons onto generously greased, aluminum foil-lined baking sheets. Bake 8 to 10 minutes or until lightly browned around edges. Immediately remove from baking sheets. Makes 4 dozen.

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## SPORTS

# Zo earns top honors again

MIAMI (AP) - When Alonzo Mourning was honored Tuesday as the NBA's defensive player of the year, he became the best defensive player in the room.

The award was presented to the Miami Heat center by Hall of Famer Bill Russell, widely regarded as the greatest defender in league history.

"From my perspective, it's the most important award you can get," Russell said.

Mourning, who won the honor for the second year in a row, received 65 of a possible 121 votes from a panel of sportswriters and broadcasters. Shaquille O'Neal of the Los Angeles Lakers finished second with 21 votes, and three-time winner Dikembe Mutombo of the Atlanta Hawks tied Eddie Jones of the Charlotte Hornets for third with 11 votes each.

"Entering the league, never in my wildest dreams did I think I'd win this award back to back," Mourning said.

He's the fifth player to do so, joining Mutombo, Hakeem Olajuwon, Dennis Rodman and Sidney Moncrief.

Russell never won the award, but only because it originated in 1983, 14 years after he retired.

Mourning led the league this season with 3.72 blocked shots per game. His 294 blocks were a career-high and team record.

"I thank my teammates for letting their men blow by them," Mourning joked.

Mourning and the Heat won their fourth consecutive Atlantic Division title, but they've never reached the NBA Finals. During the awards presentation, Mourning glanced at Russell's left hand.

"I took a peek at that championship ring," said Mourning, 30. "That's definitely one of the things I want."

"It's on its way," Russell responded.

"I'm patient," Mourning said.

The Heat face the New York



Miami Heat's Alonzo Mourning (33) blocks the shot of Houston Rockets' Kenny Thomas (21) during a January game in Houston. Mourning was selected as the NBA Defensive Player of the Year for the second season in a row Tuesday.

**Knicks in Game 5 of their Eastern Conference semifinal series today.**

Mourning has blossomed into a better offensive player than Russell, who helped the Boston Celtics win 11 NBA titles. Both

agreed that a head-to-head matchup would have been a challenge.

"Alonzo would have gotten his shot off," Russell said. "After a pause, he smiled and said, 'But we would have won the game.'"

## Miller to return for Game 6 in Philly

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) - Maybe Reggie Miller should get his Superman T-shirt out of mothballs.

Miller retired his crowd-pleasing pregame and half-time warmup garb after Indiana's tough first-round series against Milwaukee. And through wins in the first three games of the Eastern Conference semifinals against Philadelphia, the Pacers didn't need any emotional lift.

Now, with two straight losses going into Game 6 in Philly on Friday, the Pacers are reeling and the 76ers are moving closer to becoming the first NBA team to come back from a 3-0 deficit in a best-of-seven series.

"We've got to play. We've got to meet their intensity," Pacers coach Larry Bird said. "Reggie helps, but we rely on him. We have to meet them for it."

Miller and Philadelphia's Matt Geiger were suspended after a fight in Game 4 and did not play Monday night, when Allen Iverson's 37 points and Theo Ratliff's playoff-career-high 26 produced a 107-86 victory for the

76ers. Miller will be back on Friday, but Geiger is out one more game because he instigated the scuffle with two fans.

"With Reggie coming back in Game 6, and the way he plays and the maturity of the team we're facing, it's not going to be easy," Sixers coach Larry Brown said. "But last week at this time, we didn't think we'd be in this position."

Neither did the Pacers, who were confident they would be getting a week off before facing either Miami or New York in the conference finals. Last year, Indiana beat Philadelphia 4-0 in the semifinals, then lost to the Knicks in six games.

"Yes, the momentum has shifted," Indiana's Mark Jackson said. "That's what momentum is all about. This was an ugly, ugly

game, and we just didn't play well at all."

Philadelphia scored the first 15 points of the game, raced to a 60-37 lead at half-time and never let the Pacers get closer than 13 in the second half.

"Our energy level was really high," Philadelphia's Tyrone Hill, who had 12 points, 10 rebounds and three steals. "We wanted to come out quick because we felt we could win here. With Reggie out, they had to spread their offense around more and they didn't make a lot of their shots early in the game like they did in the beginning of the series."

The Sixers said they were motivated by the Pacers' cockiness.

"There was a lot of talk going around. People were talking trash," Ratliff said. "But they've got to back up what they say. We're not going to lie down. We're going to give you a dogfight every time we come out on the court."

"With Reggie coming back in Game 6, and the way he plays and the maturity of the team we're facing, it's not going to be easy," Sixers coach Larry Brown said.

"They can say all they want about that," he said of Miller's absence. "When you win the series, then you can talk."

## Two die in shooting at Little League ballpark

OZARK, Ala. (AP) - A man walked into a Little League baseball park Tuesday night and shot his ex-wife and her boyfriend to death in front of hundreds of children and their parents, police said.

The alleged gunman then shot and critically wounded himself.

## Golf

Continued from D1

### Class A-3 Results

#### Boys Team Scores

(top four advance):

1. Horaceville 202, 2. Valley 202, 3. Pottsboro 194, 4. Abbeville 193, 5. Deitz 191, 6. Newell 174, 7. Wadley 142, 8. Lapeyre 107, 9. Murfreesboro 103.

#### Medallists

1. Jason Duggerone (H) 30-36-72, 2. John Duggerone (H) 34-37-71, 3. Duane DeVore (H) 34-38-71, 4. Ansel Curnutt (P) 37-37-74.

#### Team-by-team

1. Jason Duggerone 30-36-72, 2. John Duggerone 30-37-71, Cody Curnutt 30-36-72, 4. Ansel Curnutt 37-37-74.

1. Deitz 30-36-72, 2. Valley 30-37-71, 3. Pottsboro 30-36-71, 4. Wadley 30-36-71, 5. Lapeyre 30-36-71, 6. Murfreesboro 30-36-71, 7. Newell 30-36-71, 8. Horaceville 30-36-71, 9. Murfreesboro 30-36-71, 10. Valley 30-36-71, 11. Wadley 30-36-71, 12. Lapeyre 30-36-71, 13. Deitz 30-36-71, 14. Horaceville 30-36-71, 15. Newell 30-36-71, 16. Valley 30-36-71, 17. Wadley 30-36-71, 18. Lapeyre 30-36-71, 19. Deitz 30-36-71, 20. Horaceville 30-36-71, 21. Newell 30-36-71, 22. Valley 30-36-71, 23. Wadley 30-36-71, 24. Lapeyre 30-36-71, 25. Deitz 30-36-71, 26. Horaceville 30-36-71, 27. Newell 30-36-71, 28. Valley 30-36-71, 29. Wadley 30-36-71, 30. Lapeyre 30-36-71, 31. Deitz 30-36-71, 32. Horaceville 30-36-71, 33. Newell 30-36-71, 34. Valley 30-36-71, 35. Wadley 30-36-71, 36. Lapeyre 30-36-71, 37. Deitz 30-36-71, 38. Horaceville 30-36-71, 39. Newell 30-36-71, 40. Valley 30-36-71, 41. Wadley 30-36-71, 42. Lapeyre 30-36-71, 43. Deitz 30-36-71, 44. Horaceville 30-36-71, 45. Newell 30-36-71, 46. 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## SPORTS

## Lyon, Littlewood reap honors

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**ST. GEORGE** - Utah - Dixie College pitcher Matt Lyon has been named the **Player of the Year** in the **Region 15** Baseball Tournament. Merv Littlewood, Dixie coach Mike Littlewood has reaped Coach of the Year honors in the wake of the Rebels' tourney title last weekend.

Lyon struck out 12 in Dixie's 8-0 shutout against the College of Southern Idaho last Thursday, then went on to pull a Salt Lake Community College uprising with a late-game rally to secure the Rebels' 8-5 championship win over the Bruins on Saturday.

Littlewood, meanwhile, garnered the same honor awarded CSI assistant coach Boomer Walker after the Golden Eagles won the tourney crown last season.

In other tourney wrap-up news, a correction in last week's official

scorebook credits Utah Valley State College pitcher Rick White with a strikeout originally scored as an unassisted putout for the pitcher in the Wolverines' 4-1 win over CSI Friday.

On the other hand, in question, Southern Idaho's Sidney de Jong, swinging at a pitch in the dirt with two strikes and missed, UVSC catcher Dave Preston dug the pitch from the dirt and tagged out De Jong. The play should have been scored as a K and a tag, but was mistakenly scored only as a tag.

The additional strikeout gave White a Randy Johnson-like 16 Ks - a UVSC single-game record.

UVSC coaches discovered the error after reviewing pitching charts and spray charts kept in the dugout. White finished with 125 career strikeouts to wind up second on UVSC's all-time list behind Kroon, who had 140.

## Foote out for Game 3

## Bourque might play

**DENVER** (AP) - Colorado Avalanche defenseman Adam Foote will miss Game 3 of the Western Conference finals because of an eye injury, but the team expects defense man Ray Bourque to return from a knee injury.

Another defenseman, Sandis Ozolinsh, limped off the ice after the Dallas Stars squared the best-of-seven series 1-1 Monday night, but Colorado coach Bob Hartley said his X-ray results were negative and the injury was merely a bruised foot.

Foote was injured early in the first period of the Stars' 3-2 victory in Dallas when he took an inadvertent stick to the face from Dallas' Jere Lehtinen.

Foote, one of Colorado's best defensemen, was struck in the right eye by Lehtinen's follow-through.

The blunt trauma and ensuing bleeding caused blood to flow into the eye, and four stitches

were required to close a wound in his eyelid. His eye had been swollen; Foote was taken to a hospital as a precaution.

Avalanche officials said Foote suffered no permanent damage and should make a full recovery, but he has been ruled out of the next game of the series here on Friday night.

Bourque, injured in the third game of the conference semifinal against Detroit, has missed four games because of a sprained left knee.

"I'm getting real anxious to get in there," Bourque said before Monday night's game. "The schedule works in my favor. I'm hoping to have some good days this week and having them tell me I'm a go for Friday."

Bourque, 39, whose acquisition by Colorado from Boston on March 6 helped energize the team, was injured on May 1. He has been missing practice and has reported making progress, but he hasn't had any contact.

## Modano proves key

Stars coach Ken Hitchcock said, "I think sometimes when the game doesn't have physical play, he goes deep and tries to play the game on the move."

In addition to being more aggressive, Modano was also more comfortable.

Hitchcock said on a line for most of the season with Brett Hull and Brenden Morrow, Jere Lehtinen, who had played the same line with Modano and Hull during the Stars' Cup run last season, saw most of the season with a broken ankle.

Lehtinen returned Saturday on a different line, but was reunited with his old linemates Monday when Morrow went down with a broken ankle. The trio combined for 16 shots - six fewer than Colorado - and scored all three goals.

"It's been about 10 months, six screws (in Lehtinen's ankle), two concussions (Modano) and an arm stomach muscle (Hull)," Modano said. "But we're together again and it feels good finally."

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## SPORTS



Pete Sampras, of Tampa, Fla., beat compatriot Chris Woodruff in his first match at the Tennis Masters Series tournament in Hamburg, Germany, Tuesday. Sampras won 64, 7-6 (7-5).

## Sampras tries to plant feet on clay

HAMBURG, Germany (AP) — Less than two weeks before the French Open, Pete Sampras returned to work Tuesday and again learned how hard it can be to win on clay.

In his first match since a thigh injury sidelined him for more than a month, Sampras beat Chris Woodruff, 7-6 (5) in the opening round of the German Open. Sampras twice served for the match and dropped his serve both times before winning.

"Clay is always a challenge for me," he said. "You can't afford to be careless, you can't rush things."

Sampras, top-seeded in this clay-court tune-up for the French Open, is playing in only his fifth tournament of the year. He last played in April in the Davis Cup against the Czech Republic. He also had a back injury earlier in the year.

Three other former No. 1 play-

ers — Patrick Rafter, Yevgeny Kafelnikov and Carlos Moya — all lost.

Defending champion Marcelo Rios, another former No. 1 battling injuries, advanced to the second round, beating Nicolas Escude 6-4, 6-1.

Third-seeded Magnus Norman, the new Champions Race leader after winning the Italian Open on Sunday, beat Thomas Johansson 6-2, 6-4.

Sampras was up 5-2 in the second set. But instead of serving out the match, he dropped his serve. He did it again at 5-4, with Woodruff hitting a backhand pass shot to even the score.

Sampras double faulted on his first match point in the tiebreaker. But Woodruff's forehand sailed

long, giving Sampras the match on the next point. Sampras finished with more double faults (eight) than aces (six).

"One thing about clay is closing out the match," Sampras said. "It was a good match to go through, although I am disappointed I didn't close it the way I wanted."

"Maybe I was a little rusty. I was playing well all the way until 5-2, but then I couldn't close it," he said.

The French Open, the second Grand Slam of the year, begins May 29. It is the only Grand Slam Sampras has never won.

**Davenport not happy on clay**

ROME — Lindsay Davenport was back on the court, back winning and back at No. 1.

But the American, playing her first match Tuesday at the Italian Open, had few illusions about her

chances on Europe's slow red clay.

"I'm not going to become a clay court for three tournaments out of the year," Davenport said after beating Elena Dementieva of Russia 6-3, 6-2.

Davenport, who won the Australian Open in January, was playing her first match after being sidelined for six weeks with a foot injury.

In the meantime, she still recaptured the No. 1 ranking from Martina Hingis.

Acknowledging similarities with Petri Stenman's annual frustration during the European clay court season, Davenport said she would stick to her aggressive game.

"So you probably won't see me slide a lot and hitting a lot of moonballs and kicking my serve and all that," Davenport said. "But I'm just going to keep doing what I've always been doing."

**Rams' Warner has emergency appendectomy**

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Super Bowl MVP Kurt Warner had emergency surgery for an inflamed appendix Tuesday.

The quarterback was in good condition after the operation, which took about an hour, the St. Louis Rams said in a statement.

"Fortunately, he'll be up and on his feet in a day or so," Rams coach Mike Martz said. "As far as his participation in the next mini-camp, we'll have to wait and see."

Warner's agent, Mark Bartelstein, told St. Louis television station KTVI Warner became ill over the weekend.

Rams team physician Bernard Garfinkel told St. Louis television station KSDK there was a chance Warner's appendix could have eventually burst.

"You want to protect the appendix from rupturing and spreading infection into the free abdomen," he said. "He was no where close to that."

Warner led the Rams' remarkable rise in 1999, a year removed from a 4-12 season, the Rams were 13-3 and beat the Tennessee Titans 23-16 in the Super Bowl. Warner was named MVP for both the regular season and the title game.

Just a few years ago, Warner was bagging groceries at a Hy-Vee store in Iowa. He eventually landed in the Arena Football League and World League before becoming a third-string quarterback for the Rams in 1998.

He won the starting job last season only after Trent Green went down with a season-ending knee injury in pre-season.

Warner passed for 4,532 yards, completed 65.1 percent of his passes and had a quarterback rating of 109.2. He threw 41 touchdown passes, becoming only the second player to top 40.

Warner attended the Rams' April 28-30 minicamp.

## SLC committee refuses to turn over key memo

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — A memo described as the "smoking gun" of the Salt Lake City Olympic scandal will be withheld from IOC lawyers during the federal investigation.

The Salt Lake Organizing Committee said Tuesday it had decided to decline the International Olympic Committee's request for the document, known as the "gold memo."

"The (SLOC) Management Committee determined it should not be released until after the conclusion of the Department of Justice investigation," SLOC spokesman Caroline Shaw said.

SLOC also has refused media requests for a copy, which is believed to have been written shortly after Salt Lake City lost the 1998 Winter Games to Nagano, Japan, and describes what was done to win the bid.

However, the Deseret News quoted an anonymous source that said the memo closely resembles a "road map or game plan" for influencing IOC members rather than an actual blow-by-blow account of what was done to influence members.

IOC spokesman Franklin Servan-Schreiber said Tuesday that the IOC respects the decision made by Salt Lake organizers based on advice from SLOC's legal counsel.

IOC Vice President Dick Pound, who led the IOC's investigation into the bid scandal, said he didn't expect that the memo would provide proof of additional

wrongdoing by his colleagues. "It wouldn't have been proof of anything as far as we're concerned if it was just a lot of speculation on what could be done," Pound said Monday, based on what he had heard about the memo.

In other cases, entries were more general, similar to dossiers on the members already made public.

The IOC attorneys requested the memo because it was not turned over to either SLOC's attorney or the IOC investigators. Shaw said the memo was found months after both the IOC and SLOC concluded their investigations, but it has been given to the U.S. Justice Department.

The IOC attorneys requested the memo late last week. Beth Wilkinson, SLOC's attorney who advised against giving the memo to the DOJ, declined to comment on the IOC request.

Wilkinson warned SLOC's trustees that the committee would be better off not releasing the memo, since SLOC could still be a target of the federal investigation.

The Justice Department probe has resulted in charges against three people — Salt Lake City business leaders David Simmons, former USOC official Alfredo Lahmori and John Kim, the powerful South Korean IOC member Kim Un-Yong.

## SPORTS IN BRIEF

### Women's bicycling event needs volunteers

BOISE — The HP LaserJet Women's Challenge, the world's premier cycling race for women, needs volunteers to help with numerous activities from May 15-19.

For more information, call (208) 672-7223 or visit the race's Web site at <http://www.hplwc.com>.

### Sign up for TF Muni Ladies Twilight League

TWIN FALLS — TF Muni Ladies Twilight League will start June 5. Local women who like to play must be a member of TF Muni Ladies Association or have a handicap card.

The league will be divided into three divisions — A, B and C. The three tiers make it possible for players of all levels to be competitive. The cost is \$60 for each two-lady team. Sign up on the bulletin board in the clubhouse or contact Barbara Frith (326-5314) or Billie Mason (733-0643). Deadline for registration is May 25.

### Rupert Ladies Day winners announced

RUPERT — Barbara Carney, Judy Cutler and Lucile Wakewood tied for first place Tuesday in the Rupert Ladies Golf Association Ladies Day "Tic-Tac-Toe" competition at the Rupert Country Club.

The Idaho Men's 4-Ball Tournament will be Saturday and Sunday.

### Candleridge holds tourney this weekend

TWIN FALLS — Candleridge Golf Course will host its second annual 2-person Best Ball tournament May 20-21.

The event, which includes a men's, women's, and couple's division, will be \$80 per person's team, \$60 for women and co-ed entries. All players must carry a current IGA or USGA handicap. The maximum gross for partners is seven in the men's division, 10 in the women's and 15 for the coed division.

For more details or to sign up, visit the course or call the pro shop at 733-6577.

### Girls' soccer tryouts are June 7-8 in TF

TWIN FALLS — Twin Falls girls' junior high school soccer tryouts will take place at Ascension Field from 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 7 and Thursday, June 8.

Girls 12 years young on July 31, 2000, are invited to try out for the U-13 Girls' Team (7th-8th Grade), Girls 13 years of age on July 31, 2000 are invited to try out for the U-14 Girls' Team (9th-10th Grade). For more information, please contact George Koch at 733-9406.

### Longtime coach, Big Sky commissioner dies

BOISE — Steve Belko, one of the most successful coaches in Idaho University history and a former Big Sky Conference commissioner, died Friday in a Boise hospital. He was 84.

Belko, 1959-60, six years as the men's basketball coach at Idaho State College, from 1959 through 1965. He was named Rocky Mountain Conference coach of the year three times.

Belko left in 1965 to become head coach at Oregon. He coached there 15 years, from 1956 through 1971, earning a 179-211 record. He took the Ducks to the NCAA Tournament twice.

He also served as a Big Sky commissioner from 1977-81. Belko played football for the University of Idaho, graduating in 1939.

### Carruth's home could be sold to settle debt

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Rae Carruth's \$237,000 home may be sold and his NFL retirement account liquidated to pay child support for his 6-month-old son.

The former Carolina Panthers receiver and three others are accused of plotting the Nov. 16 drive-by shooting of Cherica Adams. Soon after, she gave birth to a boy, Chancellor Adams. Carruth is the boy's father. Cherica Adams died of her wounds Dec. 14.

### Marino agrees to memorabilia deal

SUNRISE, Fla. — Recently retired Dan Marino, who says he has been offered hundreds of business opportunities, accepted an offer from Dreams Inc., a sports memorabilia company.

Marino signed a three-year contract as director of development and agreed to serve three years on the board of directors for the company, located in suburban Fort Lauderdale. He received a five percent stake in Dreams Inc. and signed a three-year exclusive marketing agreement with the company's subsidiary, Mounted Memories, to autograph memorabilia.

Compiled from wire reports

## Lewis jury selection may last all week



Baltimore Ravens star Ray Lewis leaves Fulton County Superior Court in Atlanta after the first day of jury selection in his murder trial Monday. Lewis and two codefendants are accused in the deaths of two men after a post-Super Bowl party last January.

courtroom Tuesday included his grandmother, his fiancee and the Rev. J. Richard Harris of Mountain Movers Ministries, a religious organization in Atlanta before the trial begins.

and Tallahassee, Fla., that works with professional athletes. Other friends and family are expected to arrive in Atlanta before the trial begins.

player personnel, and Golden State assistant Rod Higgins was appointed assistant general manager.

In a related move, Wes Unseld relinquished his position as general manager of the WNBA's Washington Mystics, handing the job to Mystics assistant coach Melissa McFerrin. Unseld will remain general manager of the Wizards.

## Michael Jordan shakes up Wizards' front office

WASHINGTON (AP) — At least we know who the Washington Wizards coach isn't going to be.

Michael Jordan, the team's president of basketball operations, eliminated two candidates from contention Tuesday by appointing them to front-office positions.

Darrell Walker, the interim coach for the last 38 games of the season, was made director of

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## BRIEFLY IN MONEY

### Home Depot earnings jump 29 percent

NEW YORK — Home-improvement retailer Home Depot Inc. on Tuesday said first-quarter profit rose 29 percent to meet expectations.

The Atlanta-based giant — which has a new store in Twin Falls — earned \$62.9 million, or 27 cents a share, up from the three months to April 30, compared with \$48.5 million, or 21 cents a share, a year earlier; matching the forecasts of analysts surveyed by First Call Corp.

Sales climbed 24 percent to \$1.1 billion in the quarter, as same-store sales increased by 7 percent.

During the first quarter, Home Depot opened 41 new stores, bringing the total to 971.

### J.C. Penney tops estimates for quarter

NEW YORK — J.C. Penney Co., the fifth-largest U.S. retailer, said it earned \$125.1 million, or 28 cents per share, including restructuring charges in its first quarter, topping analysts' average estimate of 23 cents. In the year-earlier period the company earned \$167 million, or 61 cents a share.

Including special charges and items — principally covering the closing of under-performing stores and restructuring — merchandising processes and organization — the company lost \$1.16 million, or 48 cents a share, in the quarter.

Total revenue gained 2.6 percent to \$7.7 billion from \$7.5 billion a year earlier. Penney, which has Magic Valley operations, said revenue from department stores and catalogs fell 2.4 percent to \$4.11 billion.

Despite the better-than-expected earnings, the company also said it is looking at possible store closures about a week after financial Carl Icahn announced he has taken a stake in the Plano, Texas-based firm.

"We believe that an exploration of strategic alternatives is a logical continuation of our ongoing efforts to focus on our core businesses while at the same time taking action to reduce costs for our stockholders who is not being recognized in our share price," said Chief Executive James Oestreich, who announced earlier this month he is stepping down.

### Boise ranks high in good places to do business

BOISE — Boise ranked fifth in Forbes magazine's annual list of the best American cities to do business. The Milken Institute of Santa Monica, Calif., paired up with Forbes to create the ranking. They looked at job growth, earned income and output in several technology sectors, as well as other criteria for the large metro areas and 94 smaller ones.

"Not surprisingly, the best places to do business are technology hubs where entrepreneurs can feed off top knowledge institutions and where business costs are low," said Tim Ferguson, Forbes assistant managing editor.

Austin, Texas, topped the list, followed by Atlanta; Santa Rosa, Calif.; and Boulder, Colo.

### Ammon residents wait for phone service

IDAHO FALLS — Rapid growth in Ammon is making it difficult for US West to activate phone service fast enough.

"The growth and the number of people did get us off of our U.S. West spokesman Mike Reynoldson said.

He said the company was hopeful that within a month everyone in the Ammon area who has ordered phone service will get it the day they move in.

"We're working as fast as we can to get full capacity out there," Reynoldson said. That means installing new lines and feeder boxes.

All Thompson and his wife, Kay Carter, moved into their duplex in March, from Las Vegas. Although a business line has been hooked up, they are still waiting for a residential line into their home and for service to Thompson's mother, who died last May.

"Carter said she was skeptical of the phone company's "too many orders" justification for the wait.

"We just moved from the fastest-growing city in the world," she said.

Compiled from wire reports



A vendor sorts his vegetables at an open market in Beijing.

Tuesday, The U.S. House of Representatives will take up the issue of granting permanent trade relations for China next week.

President Clinton argues that open trade with China will help the communist nation move closer to democracy and suggested that U.S. opponents are aligning themselves with China's most rigid communists.

## Bechtel donates to campaign

By Virginia S. Hutchins  
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Locals are the best ones to bring new jobs to their own community, Bechtel BWXT Idaho officials said Tuesday as they announced a \$50,000 grant to a Twin Falls campaign.

"We like to sponsor as many local economic-development organizations as possible," said Anne Roberts, director of economic development for the Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory. She said Bechtel BWXT Idaho, the joint-venture contractor that runs the INEL, is finding local groups are the most effective way to advance Idaho cities' job numbers.

"They know the community. They know what businesses will be good for the community," she said.

The \$50,000 for Business Plus II, the Twin Falls Area Chamber of Commerce's \$1.1-million economic and community development campaign, isn't designated for a particular use, the chamber's Executive Vice President Kent Just said. Business Plus II will simply add it to a fund that it splits for three purposes: bringing new employers to town, keeping existing ones here and helping them expand, and preparing workers.

"We have the check all ready to go. We'll probably present it to them sometime next month," Roberts said.

Bechtel BWXT's predecessor at the INEL, Lockheed Martin Idaho Technologies Co., gave \$250,000 to Business Plus II; \$100,000 of that gift was an incentive to encourage other donors at the campaign's birth.

Lockheed also had promised another \$10,000 — in \$500-per-year increments — to Business Plus II if Lockheed continued to manage the INEL. Chamber leaders hoped, but couldn't be sure, Bechtel BWXT would honor the pledge.

"We're extremely pleased that Bechtel has seen fit to fulfill this next leg of the Lockheed Martin pledge," Just said Tuesday.

Bechtel BWXT has the final \$50,000 of Lockheed's \$350,000 gift still待着 consideration for next year, Roberts said.

Bechtel BWXT budgeted \$1.4 million to spend annually on economic development efforts in Idaho, she said. So far \$215,000 has made its way to the Magic Valley, including \$15,000 to the Mini-Cassia Development Commission, and \$150,000 to help Life-Service Innovations build a new call center in Burley and two workers.

The INEL contractor has its eye on another possible recipient.

Roberts on Tuesday visited Salt Lake City-based Discovery Research Group's new Twin Falls call center. She said Bechtel BWXT is considering helping with Discovery's expansion costs so it can hire more people in the Twin Falls area.

"Today was kind of the first step in getting to know them," Roberts said Tuesday afternoon.

"I was very impressed with what I saw today."

She learned about Discovery through Business Plus II, which she would like to see expand into more of a regional economic-development organization.

"It's a very strong organization, and other communities could benefit from their help," Roberts said.

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## Ketchum, airport suspend cab company's operations

By Karen Bossick  
Times-News correspondent

KETCHUM — Geoffrey Schultz had a cute idea when he named his fledgling cab company Yellow Lab Cab, in honor of Ketchum's affinity for the four-legged creature, and promised free rides for labs.

But the Sun Valley cab operator is in the doghouse with the City of Ketchum, and the Sun Valley Cab Co. is suspended.

Schultz has had his operating privileges suspended in Ketchum until a hearing scheduled for June 2. His operating permit for serving Friedman Memorial Airport was suspended until a scheduled June 6 hearing.

A third hearing before the City of Hailey, set for Thursday, has been canceled. A city official said he did not know whether it would be rescheduled.

Yellow Lab Cab was suspended in Ketchum after neither Schultz nor his lawyer showed up for a hearing before the City

Council last week. Schultz' lawyer told the city staff he would be in court during the scheduled hearing; Schultz said he didn't learn of the meeting until it was too late.

City Attorney Margaret Slama said the hearing was rescheduled after Ketchum's police department forwarded a report con-

cerning its investigation of complaints against the taxi company. The list of complaints included overcharging on New Year's Eve and reports of vehicles with leaky exhaust. Yellow Cab was suspended once before until it could show it had obtained proper insurance.

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## COMICS

Classic Peanuts



By Charles M. Schulz

Dilbert



By Scott Adams

B.C.



By Johnny Hart

Garfield



By Jim Davis

Hi and Lois



By Chance Browne

The Wizard of Id



By Brant Parker &amp; Johnny Hart

Hagar the Horrible



By Chris Browne

Beetle Bailey



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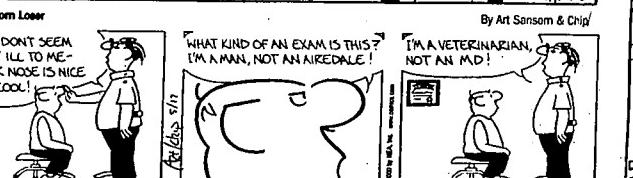
By Mort Walker

Frank and Ernest



THAVES

The Born Loser



By Art Sansom &amp; Chip

For Better or For Worse



By Lynn Johnston

Blonde



By Dean Young &amp; Starla Drake

How She Found Out?



By Brian Crane

Pickles



By Hank Ketcham

The Family Circus



By Bill Keane

Dennis the Menace



By Hank Ketcham

Rose Is Rose



By Pat Brady

Zits



By Jim Borgman and Jerry Scott

What Are You Doing?



By Greg Evans

Luann



By Bob Thaves

Strange Brew



By John Deering

Non Sequitur



By Wiley

The Final Reward...And Punishment



By Greg Evans

Serving the Magic Valley

# COMMUNITY

Community Editor Pat Marzantonio - 733-0931, Ext. 288

These Camas County High School students spent 11 days traveling Europe.

## Camas students tour Europe

**FAIRFIELD** — March 18 was the day 14 Camas County High School students officially became world travelers.

Maggie Bennett, Angie Pridmore, Bridget Dulin, Jonathan Rey, Brianna Keven, Madeline Larson, Nathan Owens, Randy Smith, Russell Schiermeier, Shann Turner, Vicki Dulin, Jenny Morrison, Brian Schiermeier and Cade Atkins joined Becky Skinner, Stacey Hall, Tracy Dulin and Jamie Rey for 11 days of foreign travel.

The group departed from the Boise airport and flew all day, stopping in various airports, including Chicago and Munich, Germany before arriving at their destination, Manchester, England and an inn near Robin Hood's Sherwood Forest.

The first day was spent in the township of York, England, shopping and becoming familiar with the English pound, the students say.

Edinburgh, Scotland was the next stop. Along the way, the group stopped at Sir Walter Scott's chateau and toured the small town of Journe.

They arrived in the medieval city of Edinburgh in time for a nighty ghost tour, the students say. They next day the group toured of the city, including Holyrood Palace and Edinburgh castle.

A long drive through the green countryside took them towards London the

next day. Stops included the England Lake District and Stratford, Shakespeare's birthplace. At night, they saw a theater performance of the Bard's "As You Like It."

The first night in London included entertainment and dancing as the group attended an authentic Elizabethan banquet. Buckingham Palace, Parliament, the Twin Towers, the changing of the guard at Charles Dickens' house were some of the sightings.

The group traveled on the Eurostar to Paris under the English Channel in three hours.

The first night in Paris they took in an amazing view from the top of the Eiffel Tower, the group says.

The tour of Paris, by both boat and bus, included Notre Dame Cathedral. After shopping, the group spent their last night in Paris touring the Louvre, the largest art museum in the world and home to the famous painting of Mona Lisa.

From Paris, the group left home via Amsterdam and Minneapolis, Minn., where a several hour layover gave the weary travelers time at the famous Mall of America before flying into Boise.

The trip was a worthwhile and exciting time for all those who went, the students say.

For more information or for performance requests, call Shannon Edwards at 734-5863.



Photo courtesy Rocky Top Cloggers

The Rocky Top Cloggers will hold its spring show Friday.

### Rocky Top Cloggers holds Spring Show 2000 in park

**TWIN FALLS** — The Rocky Top Cloggers will perform Spring Show 2000 at 6:30 p.m. Friday at the band shell in the Twin Falls City Park on Shoshone Street North in Twin Falls.

The Cloggers will perform a percussive step-dance, featuring traditional figures as well as contemporary themes.

The Rocky Top Cloggers is a performance team which rehearses twice a week at its studio behind the Lori Head dance studio on Main Street in Twin Falls.

For more information or for performance requests, call Shannon Edwards at 734-5863.

### Educational advisor available at CSU Mini-Cassia Center

**HURLEY** — Educational advisors are available from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the College of Southern Idaho Mini-Cassia Center, 1600 Parka Ave.

No appointment is necessary to meet with advisers.

### CSI offers golf, gardening courses starting this week

**TWIN FALLS** — The College of Southern Idaho Community Education Center is sponsoring a variety of courses.

Golf classes for beginners and inter-

mediate players will be taught by golf pro Rob Jones at the Canyon Springs Golf Course. The cost for each course is \$75.

Classes for beginners will be held from 5-6:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Fridays, starting today through June 2. Participants will learn the golf swing, rules, golf etiquette, putting and chipping. Clubs are furnished and enrollment is limited.

The intermediate class will be held from 6:30-8 p.m. Wednesdays and Fridays. Jones will go into more detail and individual instruction. Clubs will be furnished if needed.

CSI Arborist Trainer of the Year Dave Kiedig will teach a course Tuesdays May 23 through June 20 at the CSI greenhouse on the east side of the campus. Kiedig will teach about indoor and outdoor plants, choosing appropriate planting sites and how to prepare the soil. Gardeners of all ability levels are invited. Bring five packages of flower or vegetable seeds to class.

The cost of the class is \$50. An additional \$10 will be paid to the instructor for materials.

For more information about these or any other Community Education classes, call 733-9554, Ext. 2288.

### South Magic Valley AARP Chapter hears about Alzheimer's

**TWIN FALLS** — South Magic Valley AARP Chapter 4352 members and guests will meet at 2 p.m. today at the Area Agency on Aging annex on the College of Southern Idaho campus in Twin Falls.

Ray Comreck, administrator of Sunbeam Behavioral System for Twin Falls, will lead a discussion on Alzheimer's disease and progress regarding treatment methods.

The meeting is open to the public. People age 50 and over coping with parents or other family members afflicted with Alzheimer's are encouraged to attend. Refreshments will be served.

For more information, call Grace Crawford, chapter vice president, at

733-5258, or Jack Shaffer, secretary, at 734-5035.

### Kimberly health class and Key Club sponsor school carnival

**KIMBERLY** — The Kimberly High School Advanced Health class and Key Club are sponsoring a school-wide carnival in conjunction with Relay for Life activities, starting at 1 p.m. today with a "Village of Hope" on the football field. All high school students will be escorted to football field at 1 p.m. today for a ribbon cutting official opening of the city of "Village of Hope" within the city limits of Kimberly by Mayor Jim Sonksen.

The carnival includes games and food with emcee "Bob" from Mix 103, coupled with entertainment from the Miss Kimberly Pageant contestants. The carnival will remain open until 2:45 p.m., when a victory lap around the track will be held. The lap will officially kick-off Kimberly High School's involvement in Magic Valley Relay for Life activities, which raises funds for the American Cancer Society.

### Gooding Chamber of Commerce holds re-organizational meeting

**GOODING** — The Gooding Chamber of Commerce will hold a re-organizational meeting from 7-9 p.m. Thursday at The Gooding Hotel Bed and Breakfast at 112 N. Main St. in Gooding.

Members are asked to bring ideas for a mission statement, workshoppes, community projects and fund-raisers.

For more information, call Judgee at 934-4374.

### Magic Valley Manor serves up community barbecue Friday

**WENDELL** — Magic Valley Manor will hold a community barbecue at noon Friday in honor of National Nursing Home Week, May 14-20.

The public is invited to attend.

For more information, call Magic Valley Manor at 536-5623.

## CLUB CALENDAR

### Civic

#### Rotary Club

**Elks Lakes** — 7 a.m. Tuesdays at the Western Plaza Hotel & Convention Center in Twin Falls; 734-7007 or 734-4157.

**Elks** — Noon Tuesdays at Burley Inn Convention Center; 678-2221.

**Bull** — Noon Thursdays at the Arco Elks Lodge; 500 W. Main; 643-6504 or 643-5506.

**Gooding** — 12:15 p.m. Friday at the Gooding Inn; 644-2111.

**Holiday Inn** — Noon Thursday at the Bestor Center of Blaine County; 788-0857 or 788-2114.

**Elks** — Noon Tuesday at China Villa, 123 S. Alder; 524-0000 or 524-4511.

**Ketchum** — Noon Thursday at Clarion Inn Restaurant; Bob Stoe at 720-2220.

**Elks** — Noon Wednesday at the Rupert Elks Lodge. Call Jack Bell at 436-5611.

**Elks** — Noon Wednesday at the Star Citizen Center; 686-2221 or 686-2883.

**Twin Falls** — Noon Wednesdays at the Elks Club in Twin Falls; 734-4029 or 734-6254.

**Lions Club**

**Elks** — Noon Fridays at Price's Cafe, 2444 Overland Ave.; 678-3027.

**Gooding** — 6 p.m. on the second and fourth Mondays at the Lincoln Inn; 534-4151.

**Halliey** — Noon first and third Wednesdays at Full Moon Restaurant in Jerome.

**Holiday Inn** — 5:30 p.m. second and fourth Thursdays at Holiday Inn; 436-6038.

**Elks** — Noon Tuesday at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521.

**Rupert** — Noon Tuesdays at the Elks Club; 436-6124.

**Elks** — Noon Thursdays at the Jerome Senior Center; 212 N. Main; 734-2324.

**Twin Falls** — Noon Tuesdays at the Elks Club in Twin Falls; 734-4029 or 734-6252.

**Kiwanis Club**

**Elks** — Noon Wednesdays at The Standard Sports Grill; 524-2330 or 643-5576.

**Perry** — Noon Wednesdays at Perry's Cafe, 2444 Overland Ave.; 636-3228 or 452-5221.

**Elks** — Noon Tuesdays at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521.

**Rupert** — Noon Tuesdays at the Elks Club; 436-6124.

**Elks** — Noon Thursdays at the Jerome Senior Center; 212 N. Main; 734-2324.

**Twin Falls** — Noon Thursdays at the Elks Club in Twin Falls; 734-4276 or 734-4274.

**Optimist Club**

**Twin Falls** — Noon Thursdays at the Mandolin House; 733-2728, 733-7035 or 733-7036.

**Elks** — 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2000, at the Twin Falls Public Library; 306 S. 6th Ave. We're open to all and parents welcome; call 534-0493.

**Wendell** — 7 p.m. Tuesdays at the Paradise Restaurant in Wendell; 536-5477.

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**Twin Falls** — 7 p.m. Mondays at 702 Airport Loop at Joaquin Field; call Gary

Thibert at 734-4061.

#### Soroptimist International

**Twin Falls** — first, third and fourth Tuesdays of the month; 6:30 p.m. at the Soroptimist Clubhouse; 1719 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. All women are invited; 734-9465.

**Burley** — noon second, third and fourth Wednesday at George H. E. 578-2782.

#### Other civic

**Magic Valley Jaycees** — 7:30 a.m. first and third Tuesdays at Mac's Pizza in Twin Falls; call 734-5243 or 734-2917.

**Society for Creative Anachronism** — 7 p.m. Saturday at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521.

**Goodwill Industries** — First and second Tuesdays of the month at Lincoln Inn; 534-4457 or 534-4226.

**Magic Valley Teamesters** — 12:10 p.m. second and fourth Tuesday in Twin Falls. Call 734-2543 or 734-2544.

**Young Children's Center** — 7 p.m. Sunday at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521.

**Elks** — Noon Wednesday at the Star Citizen Center; 686-2221.

**Twin Falls Model T Club** — Meets first and third Thursdays at North's Chuck Wagon in Twin Falls.

**Kiwanis Club**

**Elks** — Noon Fridays at Price's Cafe, 2444 Overland Ave.; 678-3027 or 678-3028.

**Elks** — Noon Tuesdays at Perry's Cafe, 2444 Overland Ave.; 678-3027 or 678-3028.

**Elks** — Noon Tuesdays at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521.

**Elks** — Noon Tuesdays at the Elks Club; 436-6124.

**Elks** — Noon Thursdays at the Jerome Senior Center; 212 N. Main; 734-2324.

**Twin Falls** — Noon Thursdays at the Elks Club in Twin Falls; 734-4029 or 734-6254.

**Magic Valley Pinocchio Club** — 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Disabled American Veterans Hall; 1st Avenue and State Street; 734-6254.

**Valley Vista Retirement Center** — 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Sundays; 10 a.m. in memory center at 625 E. Main; 734-6254.

**Elks** — 7 p.m. Mondays at Magic Valley Lodge; 246 Palisade Ave., Twin Falls; 734-6369. Newcomers welcome.

**Magic Valley Chess Club** — 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521. Adults welcome.

**Magic Valley Brain Injury Support Group** — 6 p.m. Mondays at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521.

**Elks** — For people concerned about someone's memory; 6 p.m. Tuesdays; place, price, times, place, call 734-3555.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**

**Twin Falls** — 7 p.m. Tuesdays at the Pines Motel; 326-4520 or 326-4521.

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## COMMUNITY

**Area residents graduate from University of Idaho**

MOSCOW — Mag Valley residents were among graduates at the 105th University of Idaho Commencement in Moscow in May 13.

Area graduates include:

**Arlevine:** College of Art and Architecture; Jacob L. Thomas, Bachelor's of Landscape Architecture.

**College of Art and Architecture:** Craig Michael Kelley, Bachelor's of Science in Interior Design; College of Business and Economics: Nathan Clay Mink; Bachelor's of Science in Business; College of Letters and Science: Carly Maria Lister, Bachelor's of Science in Sociology.

**Eller:** College of Art and Architecture; Jacob L. Thomas, Bachelor's of Landscape Architecture; College of Business and Economics: Nathan Clay Mink; Bachelor's of Science in Business; College of Letters and Science: Carly Maria Lister, Bachelor's of Science in Sociology.

**Gooding:** College of Education; Joseph Anthony Kren, Educational Specialist in Educational Administration.

**Haberman:** College of Agriculture; Christopher Carl Voss, Bachelor's of Science in Agricultural Science and Technology; and Roger Leon Wells, Bachelor's of Science in Agricultural Education; College of Art and Architecture; Jerry Alan Hutchinson, Bachelor's of Architecture; College of Education; Ron E. Rose, Master's of Education; College of Engineering; Kelly Ray Flinn, Bachelor's of Science in Civil Engineering; Peter Robert Bokma, Bachelor's of Science in Civil Engineering; College of Letters and Science; and Kerie Elizabeth Kennison, Bachelor's of Science in Journalism and Mass Communication.

**Harrison:** College of Education; Bethany Ann Little, Bachelor's of Science in Physical Education; Cherry Mae Smith, Master of Education; and Teresa Marie Vargas, Master of Education.

**Hixson:** College of Agriculture; Dennis Raymond Borts, Master's of Science in Agricultural Economics.

**Holtrech:** College of Agriculture; Nathan Jed Aate, Bachelor's of Science in Agricultural Science and

Technology.

**Idaho:** College of Art and Architecture; Phillip Gary Schutte, Bachelor's of Landscape Architecture.

**Miller:** College of Agriculture; Craig Michael Kelley, Bachelor's of Science in Interior Design; College of Business and Economics: Nathan Clay Mink; Bachelor's of Science in Education; College of Engineering; Heather Elizabeth Jones, Bachelor's of Science in Mechanical Engineering; College of Letters and Science; and Tara Marie Stevens, Bachelor's of Science in Biology.

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**Powerhouse:** College of Agriculture; Darren Wayne Taber, Bachelor's of Science in Agricultural Science and Technology.

**Rexburg:** College of Art and Architecture; Jennifer McMillen, Master's of Architecture.

**Rocky Mountain:** College of Art and Architecture; David Gibbons, Master's of Architecture; Jeremy Tate Alsworth, Bachelor's of Landscape Architecture; Joshua Barnes, Bachelor's of Science in Environmental Science; Allan Rosenau, Bachelor's of Landscape Architecture; Nicholas Kinsey Owings, Bachelor's of Fine Arts in Studio Art; College of Business and Economics; Becky Kristine Riddle, Bachelor's of Science in Business; Christopher Ryan Paul, Bachelor's of Science in Business; Cody Everett Riddle, Bachelor's of Science in Business; Sarah A. Hovland, Bachelor's of Arts in English; Stacia Cristie Carr, Bachelor's of Science in Psychology; Tyler J. Harris, Bachelor's of Arts in English; Yancey Dee Willis, Bachelor's of Science in Environmental Science; College of Letters and Science; Kay Gilliland, Master's of Science in Hydrology; Jennifer A. Dodds, Bachelor's of Science in Geology; Morgan James Salisbury, Bachelor's of Science in Geology.

**St. Maries:** College of Education; Stephen Edward Nance, Educational Specialist in Educational Administration.

**Tompson:** College of Family and Consumer Sciences.

**Twisp:** College of Agriculture; Megan Kathleen Sammerville, Bachelor's of Science in Agricultural Science and Technology.

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**Waterville:** College of Letters and Science; Christopher Todd Anderson, Master's of Architecture; Bachelor's of Science in Architecture; David Hedrick, Bachelor's of Science in Architecture; Heather Lee Bohr, Bachelor's of Science in Biology; Kathryn Shelby Christensen, Bachelor's of Science in Mathematics; Ryan Sean Neale, Bachelor's of Science in Environmental Science; Sarah A. Hovland, Bachelor's of Arts in English; Stacia Cristie Carr, Bachelor's of Science in Psychology; Tyler J. Harris, Bachelor's of Arts in English; Yancey Dee Willis, Bachelor's of Science in Environmental Science; College of Letters and Science; Kay Gilliland, Master's of Science in Hydrology; Jennifer A. Dodds, Bachelor's of Science in Geology; Morgan James Salisbury, Bachelor's of Science in Geology.

**Wendell:** College of Education; Stephen Edward Nance, Educational Specialist in Educational Administration.

## Buhl Middle School names honor students

**BUHL** — Buhl Middle School recently announced the third quarter honor roll for the 1999-2000 school year.

Students earning highest honors with a 4.00 grade-point average are eighth-graders Trevor Jon J. Joseph, Popplewell, Jonathan Puent and Lara Welch; seventh-graders Mandy Burns, Kristi Clements, Cassandra Fields, Karly Hedrick, Jennifer Hurley, Andrew Hutchinson, Kristi Lamm, Cherie Salter, Alex Serrano, Caleb Thom, Kristen Vinger and Elizabeth Woods; and sixth-graders Seth Hansen, Jessica Heaton, Angela Hutchinson, Cassie O'Donnell, Angelia Oglebee, Ruthie Perron and Anthony Tonino.

Students earning high honors, with a grade-point average between 3.99 and 3.51 are eighth-graders, Jayme Anderson, Anthony Avelar, Krystel Avelar, William Baggs, Megan Berks, Jessica Brown, Chase Cantrell, Kara Davidson, April Diane Elizabeth Harrington, Janne Heaton, Stormi Heaton, Danielle Kippes, Jenifer Layday, Connie Martinez, Rose Melero, Tori Mietzner, Simon Olsen, Nicholas Popplewell, Aschele Schmidt, Dana Scott, Richard Sisson, Jerome Williams and Jordan Wiles; seventh-graders Seth Hansen, Kristi Lamm, Britt Twiss, Brenda Voorhees and Alyssa Welch; sixth-graders Luke Alexander, Michael Bell, Adam Bridges, Elijah Chapman, Elizabeth Esparta, Beulah Euresti, Candice Johnson, Bradley Rich, Marcella Jimenez, Alex Johnston, Kasi Klimes, Padan Mabey, Thia

Machacek, Breann Mink, Breht Montgomery, James Ostercamp, Anthony Owens, Morgan Peterson, Abbe Reynolds, Roxanne Sirucek, Jeremy Thomas, Cassie Tipton, Doreen Tyrell and Courtney Watson.

Students earning all A's and a 3.50 grade-point average are eighth-graders Christopher Ahlm, Kristine Bingham, Angelique Bowser, Luis Carballo, Casey Ferguson, Yelena Gelever, Jake Goedhart, Amber Hetherington, Michael Jacobson, Cassie Kippes, Jill Koenig, Katie Martinen, Brandon Mason, Tyler Mink, Shawna Moore, Zackary O'Connor, Chauntae Quintana, Rachael Rabine, Viktoria Sjostrom, John Smalley, Benda Turner, Michelle Viola, Savannah Welch and Kristin Whited; seventh-graders Bethlehem, Kristi Clegg, Cinde Bridwell, Ramon Calvillo, Ana Cuevas, Tad Davis, Willie Elam, Zachary Espil, Christian Estrella, Christopher Fields, Garth Flint, Maricela Flores, Jeremiah Fullerton, Adelina Gonzalez, Rachel Hansen, Anna Hart, Debbie Henson, Jessica Higgins, Carol Koenig, Leah Laude, Roberta Lawrence, Margarita Madrid, Thomas McGuinness, Shae Owens, Teanna Pack, Victor Rojas, Kelsey Speck, Zack Suter, Kaitlin Vansickle, Jeff Wagner and Isaac Whited.

Students earning all B's are

David Allen, Daniel Avellar, Rainee Baugh, Trevin Bevelas, Elizabeth Bettencourt, Veronica Bettencourt, Mitchell Bourner, Shayla Cantrell, Diana Carballo, Jessica Dominguez, Nathan Fornier, Michael Grunder, JR Grippes, Adam Gray, Liam Gray, Anna Parry, Kallan Puent, Heather Scovel, Amanda Sengvanhpheng, Camron Sobotta, Victor Soto, Rudy Vargas, Ruslan Vingert, Matthew Wiggs, Adrian Will and Nicholas Wilson.

## Gooding Accelerated Learning center releases block grades

**GOODING** — The Gooding Accelerated Learning Center recently released fifth block grades for the 1999-2000 school year.

Students earning all A's are Stephanie Chaterton, Misty Davis, Brandi Henderson, Desirae Hubsmith, Maria Mendez, David Novinger and

Jeff Villanueva.

Students earning A's and B's are Lisa Baker, Sasha Chatterton, Cindy Ferreira, Hez Hale and Kanil Hansen.

Students earning all B's are Shanna Bonnes, Kendee Burns, Elsa Gabay, Briana Gessner, Dustin Peterson, Alia Peyman and Veronica Stewart.

## School sponsors 'Oregon Trail 1852' program at Three Island State Park

**GLENNS FERRY** — The Idaho Humanities Council and Hidden Springs Community School will sponsor "Oregon Trail 1852," a dramatic interpretation of Oregon Trail events, at 11 a.m. May 20 at the Lower Shelter at Three Island State Park in Glens Ferry.

Presented by Mary Inman of Twin Falls, the hour-long program showcases a pioneer

woman named Carrie, who walked the Oregon Trail in 1852 during the largest migration of 70,000 people, organizers say.

"Oregon Trail, 1852" is suitable for all ages, including children age 7 years and older, organizers say.

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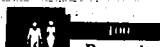
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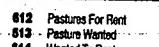
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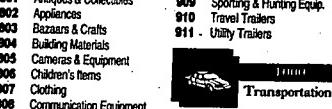
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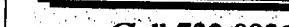
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